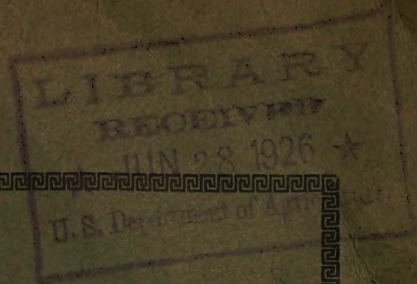


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TERMS OF BUSINESS

This Catalogue cancels all price lists of Seeds and Plants previously issued by us.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

We will forward Vegetable Seeds to the value of 5/- or more—not including Beans, Peas, Corn or Farm Seeds, carriage or postage free, also all Flower Seeds, and Roses lifted free of soil.

PLEASE NOTE

that Roses growing in tins and all other trees or plants excepting the above-mentioned will be forwarded carriage to pay by the customer.

NON-WARRANTY.

Although no effort is spared on our part to procure the very best stocks of all kinds, we give no warranty, expressed or implied, as to description, quality, productiveness, or any other matter of anything we send out, and we will in no way be responsible for the crop, and orders are executed on these conditions only. Risk of every description must be borne by the Purchaser immediately goods (of whatever kind) are delivered to the Carriers.

FORWARDING GOODS.

Where no special instructions are given we shall use our best judgment in the interests of our Customers as to the mode of transit of Goods. Any complaints of damage or delay to goods sent by Rail should be promptly made to the railway authorities at the Station to which the goods are consigned.

AGRICULTURAL PARCEL POST.

For Parcels addressed to places in the Union of South Africa.

Maximum weight, 11 lbs.; maximum length, $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet; combined length and girth not to exceed 6 feet. **TARIFFS**—Up to $1\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. 3d.; over $1\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. and not more than 3 lbs., 6d.; over 3 lbs. and not more than 6 lbs., 8d.; over 6 lbs. and not more than 9 lbs., 10d.; over 9 lbs. and not more than 11 lbs., 1/-.

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This useful service is now in operation and parcels can be sent through the Post Office for delivery at Post Offices within the Union, South West Africa, Basutoland, Bechuanaland, and Swaziland; to collect from the addressee on delivery an amount specified by the sender.

The C.O.D. fees in addition to the postal charges, are 1/- for amounts up to and including £1, plus 3d. for every additional £1 or part thereof, and covers insurance up to the value of the parcel, not exceeding £40.

When sending goods by post to Customers who have not a regular account with us and who do not send cash with order we shall send the parcels C.O.D. and include the C.O.D. fee in the amount to be collected.

However, in the case of Vegetable Plants or any other highly perishable plants of a similar nature that might be delayed through the addressee living some distance from a Post Office we shall not use the C.O.D. service, and to avoid delay we advise Customers when ordering Vegetable Plants to remit the amount in full with the order; any excess will be returned.

PAYMENT.

Unknown correspondents must please accompany their orders with remittances, or be good enough to favour us with satisfactory references. Small sums up to 5/- may be sent in Colonial Postage Stamps. Coins cannot be sent by Post except in registered letter; the registration fee is only 4d., and this ensures safe delivery.

PACKING, when necessary, except where otherwise stated, will be charged for at lowest actual cost.

MONTHLY CALENDAR FOR THE GARDEN

As we often receive inquiries as to the best time to sow the various kinds of seeds, we trust the following Calendar will be of service to our Customers. This Calendar is intended as a general guide for the sowing of Vegetable and Flower Seeds, and the planting out of same. Under the varying conditions of climate and seasons prevailing in the different parts of South Africa, it is impossible to compile a Calendar that would be suitable for every district. In the mild climate of the coast belt very many seeds can be sown with success all the year round, but in the colder districts, at a higher altitude, where the seasons are more sharply defined and sharp frosts occur, the time for sowing many seeds is restricted to the spring months, sowing earlier or later according to the locality. Generally speaking, the most important months for sowing seeds are the early autumn months—March, April, and May, and again in the early spring months—August, September and October. There are, however, several important crops, such as Cauliflower and Cabbage that, in some localities are best sown during the hot months, so that they may come to maturity during the cooler months of the year. Seeds sown during the summer months require greater care in covering and watering to ensure success, but with important crops this is well worth the extra trouble. A little well decayed stable manure rubbed through a coarse sieve, and scattered lightly over the beds is an excellent protection for the seeds at all times, and especially during the hot weather.

JANUARY.—Sow Cabbage, Cauliflower, Lettuce, Celery, French Beans, Radish, also Onions for pickling. If the weather is favourable, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Celery and Lettuce may be planted out. The larger sorts of Cabbage and Cauliflower should be not less than 30 inches apart from row to row, and 20 inches apart in the rows. The ground should be frequently hoed, which not only checks the growth of weeds, but conserves moisture. Flower Seeds, such as Balsam, Zinnia, Dianthus, Cosmos, Antirrhinum, Astér, Nasturtium, Gypsophila, Sunflower, Sweet Sultan and Phlox may be sown, but extra care in shading and watering is required to raise any kind of seed during the hottest months of the year.

FEBRUARY.—Make successional sowing of Cauliflower, Cabbage, Lettuce, Radishes, Beans, Brussels Sprouts, Onions and Broad Beans; also Kohl Rabi and Beet, and if the weather is favourable, Spinach and Carrots. Plant Potatoes, also Cauliflower, Cabbage, Kohl Rabi and Lettuce. In the Flower Garden, seeds recommended for last month may be sown; also Pansies, Daisies, Stocks. These should be carefully shaded from the sun until they come up, then gradually exposed. Sow Winter Flowering Sweet Peas. Plant Orange Trees.

MARCH.—This is a very important month in the Kitchen and Flower Garden. Main crops of Carrot, Beet, Leeks, Onion, Parsnips, Peas, Broad Beans, Turnip, Lettuce, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Parsley, Radish, Savoy, Kohl Rabi, and Spinach should be sown. Plant out Strawberries and transplant Cabbage and Cauliflower as soon as they are big enough to handle. Sow Pansies, Daisies, Carnations, Stocks, Forget-me-not, Delphiniums, Larkspur, Lupins, Mignonette, Phlox, Dianthus, Gaillardias, Poppy, etc. Plant out bulbs of Freesias, Anemone, Ranunculus, Lilliums, and Narcissus. Plant Carnations. Sow Sweet Peas.

APRIL.—Sow all kinds of Seed recommended for last month. Plant out Cauliflower, Cabbage, Kohl Rabi, and Onions. In the Flower Garden, Candytuft, Calliopsis, Clarkia, Petunia, Anemone, Ranunculus, and those mentioned for last month may be sown. Plant out Cape Bulbs, Ranunculus, Anemone, Narcissus, etc. Plant out Violets. Plant Carnations. Sow Sweet Peas.

MAY.—Continue to sow in succession all kinds of Seed recommended for March and April. Thin out and transplant Onions and Beet. Mustard and Cress may be sown fortnightly throughout the year for a continuous supply. Plant out Pansies, Daisies, Carnations, and other seedlings large enough to handle. Bulbs may still be planted. Preparation of the ground should now be made for planting Roses and Fruit Trees, by being deeply dug, and manured if necessary. Sow Sweet Peas.

JUNE.—Sow Turnips, Carrots, Spinach, Onions, Radishes, Lettuces, and other Salads; also Peas. Grape Vines and all deciduous Fruit Trees may be pruned, also Roses, and the ground manured and forked over between them. In the Flower Garden, plant out Pansies, Daisies, Stocks, etc. Sow Mignonette, Calendula, Sweet Peas, etc. Plant Roses and Carnations.

JULY.—Plant out Onions. Rhubarb should be taken up, divided, and re-planted in well manured land. This is the best month for planting and pruning all kinds of deciduous Fruit Trees, also the best time for feeding and manuring trees that bear crops of fruit. This is also the best month for planting and pruning Roses. Hedges may be planted. Climbing Plants should be attended to and pruned, and Ferns re-potted. Plant Carnations. Sow Sweet Peas.

AUGUST.—Early sowings of Cucumbers, Marrows, Tomatoes, French Beans, Pumpkins, and Mealies may be sown where no danger of late frost occurs; also Carrots, Turnips, Beet, Spinach, Broad Beans, Peas, Lettuce, Rhubarb, and Broad Beans. Plant Potatoes and Artichokes. Planting and pruning should be completed without delay. In the Flower Garden sow Cosmos, Balsam, Zinnia, Asters, Phlox, Petunia, Nasturtium, Stocks, Salpiglossis, etc. Violets should be taken up and re-planted in well-manured ground. Plant Roses and Orange Trees. Sow Sweet Peas.

SEPTEMBER.—Plant successional crops of Beans, Peas, Mealies, Pumpkins, Cucumbers, Marrows, Spinach, Beet, Water Melons, Tomatoes, etc. In the Flower Garden all tender annuals may now be sown. Dahlias should be planted; also Cannas. Plant Roses and Oranges.

OCTOBER.—Sow as recommended for last month. Plant out Tomatoes, Lettuce, etc. Keep the hoe continuously going between crops. Plant Orange Trees. Plant Chrysanthemums, Dahlias, and Tuberose.

NOVEMBER.—A small sowing of Cauliflower and Cabbage may be made this month, and for succession Vegetable Marrows, Cucumbers, Water Melons, and French Beans; also Onions for pickling. In the Flower Garden, plant out Chrysanthemums, Tuberose, Geraniums, Marguerites, Dahlias, etc.

DECEMBER.—The principal work this month will be hoeing and watering. As ground becomes vacant, it should be at once deeply dug, and kept free from weeds, so as to be ready for future cropping. Cabbage and Cauliflower may be sown.

Vegetable Seeds.

	Pkt.	Oz.	Lb.		Pkt.	Oz.	Lb.
ASPARAGUS:				CARROT:			
Early Purple Giant, the best				Chantenay (Model), half-long,			
Asparagus	6d.	—	—	scarlet, stump-rooted	6d.	9d.	7/6
RUNNER BEANS:				Early Dutch Horn, stump-rooted;			
Scarlet Champion	6d.	—	1/6	an excellent thick early	6d.	9d.	7/6
Tender and True, or Veitch's				Early Nantes, half-long, stump-			
Climbing French	6d.	—	1/6	rooted; one of the best	6d.	9d.	7/6
Giant White, stringless	6d.	—	1/6	Guerande, thick early red	6d.	9d.	7/6
BROAD BEANS:				James' Intermediate, a splendid			
Broad Windsor	—	—	1/3	variety, very productive, finely			
Johnson's Wonderful Long-pod ..	—	—	1/3	shaped root	6d.	1/0	—
DWARF FRENCH OR KIDNEY				CHICORY:			
BEANS:				Long rooted, smooth	6d.	1/0	—
Black-seeded Wax	—	—	1/0	CELERY:			
Canadian Wonder, finest hand-				Giant Solid White	6d.	2/0	—
picked	—	—	1/0	Celeriac, or Turnip-rooted Celery,			
Canadian Wonder, clean sample..	—	—	0/9	Improved Berlin	6d.	—	—
BEEF:				CRESS:			
Egyptian Turnip-rooted, very early,				Extra Curled	3d.	6d.	—
Beautiful colour, excellent .. .	6d.	6d.	4/0	Water Cress	6d.	—	—
Flood Red Globe	6d.	6d.	5/0	CAULIFLOWER:			
Spinach Beet, or Swiss Chard ..	6d.	9d.	6/0	Autumn Giant (Veitch's), an ex-			
BORECOLE or KALE:				tremely valuable variety;			
Cottager's Kale	6d.	1/0	—	always reliable for main crop	6d.	2/0	—
Green Curled Tall Scotch	6d.	1/0	—	Hobson's Early Autumn Giant,			
BRUSSELS SPROUTS:				comes into use earlier than			
Improved Giant	6d.	1/0	—	the well-known Autumn Giant	6d.	2/6	—
CAPSICUM or CHILI:				Early Eclipse, very fine, suitable			
Long Red	3d. and	6d.	—	for sowing all the year round;			
Long Yellow	6d.	—	—	highly recommended	6d.	3/0	—
Red Chili	6d.	—	—	Southern Cross	6d.	3/0	—
Improved Bull Nose	6d.	—	—	Late Metropole	6d.	3/0	—
Mixed	6d.	—	—	Kelway's Best of All	6d.	2/6	—
SAVOY CABBAGE:				All the Year Round	1/0	3/6	—
Dwarf Green Curled, early .. .	6d.	1/0	12/6	Quicksilver, very early	1/0	4/0	—
Large Drumhead	6d.	1/0	12/6	Extra Late Steadfast	6d.	2/6	—
Large Green Globe Curled .. .	6d.	1/0	12/6	CUCUMBER:			
CABBAGE:				Bedford Long Ridge	6d.	1/0	—
Brunswick Short Stem, splendid				Gherkin, or Short Prickly, very			
heads, very hardy	6d.	1/6	10/0	hardy and prolific	6d.	1/0	10/0
Colonial Spitzkool, solid pyramidal-				Green Giant Long Ridge	6d.	1/0	10/0
shaped heads; excellent	6d.	1/6	12/6	Grecian, or Athenian Ridge,			
Drumhead Early Dwarf, an excel-				green, long smooth	6d.	1/0	10/0
lent market Cabbage	6d.	1/6	12/6	Long English Prickly, an excellent			
Drumhead Late Flat Dutch, very				variety for main crop	6d.	1/0	10/0
large; one of the best of the				White Spine Ridge	6d.	1/0	10/0
Drumhead Cabbages	6d.	1/6	12/6	Mixed Varieties	6d. and	1/0	—
Jersey Wakefield, early, heads up				EGG PLANT:			
solid, medium size; quite first				Long Purple	6d.	—	—
rate	6d.	1/6	12/6	Long White	6d.	—	—
Large Oxheart	6d.	1/0	—	Round White	6d.	—	—
Red Drumhead	6d.	1/6	—	EARLY SUGAR CORN:			
Large Bacalan, conical compact				Early Sugar, fine quality, in use 70			
heads	6d.	1/0	11/0	days from sowing; height, 4			
				feet	6d.	—	—

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EARLY SUGAR CORN—Continued.

	Pkt.	Oz.	Lb.
Earliest Table , 65 days from sowing; can be grown in rows 3 feet apart, and 1 foot from plant to plant in the rows ..	6d.	—	—
Cory's White , early table mealie ..	6d.	—	—
ENDIVE:			
White Lettuce-leaved ..	6d.	—	—
Green Curled Windsor ..	6d.	—	—
KOHL RABI:			
Large Green ..	6d. and	3d.	1/0 —
Early White Vienna ..	6d. and	3d.	1/0 —
Early Purple Vienna ..	6d. and	3d.	1/0 —
GOOSEBERRY SEED:			
Cape Gooseberry (Physalis			
Eduilis) ..	6d. and	1/0	— —

NEW CAPE GOOSEBERRY.

Golden Nugget, as its name implies, is of a beautiful golden yellow colour in both fruit and husk. The fruit grows to an enormous size sometimes reaching over two inches in diameter. As a fruit for making pies and jam it is unsurpassed.

The fruit is not only large, but the plants are enormously prolific, the low semi-trailing bushes producing the fruit at every joint along the stem.

In the spring and early summer the seed may be sown either in a bed in the open ground or in a box or tin and afterwards transplanted into rows about two feet apart and eighteen inches apart in the rows. The seed may also be sown in rows without transplanting ..

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LETTUCE:

Cabbage Varieties:

All the Year Round , black seeded ..	3d.	1/0	—
Drumhead or Malta , an excellent all round well-known variety for summer use, 3d. and ..	6d.	1/0	—
Drumhead, Brown Dutch , 3d. and ..	6d.	1/0	—
Iceberg , valuable, solid, beautiful appearance ..	3d. and	6d.	1/0 —
New York , large solid heads, excellent quality ..	3d. and	6d.	1/0 —
Webb's Wonderful , grows to an immense size, very solid.	3d. and	6d.	1/0 —

LETTUCE.—Cos Varieties:

Crystal Cos ..	3d.	1/0	—
Eclipse (new), early, very fine white heads ..	6d.	—	—
Trianon , early, white, self folding ..	6d.	1/0	—

LETTUCE:

White Paris Cos , hearts and blanches well without tying, crisp and excellent ..	3d.	1/0	—
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LEEK:

Improved Musselburgh , grows to a large size ..	6d.	1/6	—
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MUSTARD: White Garden ..	3d.	6d.	—
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SWEET MELON:

Tip Top , salmon-fleshed, fine quality, prolific ..	6d.	2/0	—
Atlantic City , flesh green, thick and sweet ..	6d.	1/6	—
Surprise , yellow flesh, early ..	6d.	1/6	—
Large Hackensack , green flesh, large ..	6d.	1/6	—
Mixed Sorts ..	6d.	1/6	—
Antibes Winter , bluntly oval, netted, good keeper ..	6d.	1/6	—
Cape White Rock , round, green flesh, good keeper ..	6d.	1/6	—

WATER MELON:

Arkansas Traveller , a large, long, weighty Melon, rind dark green, with waving stripes of black, the edible portion extending to within half-an-inch of the skin, flesh brilliant red, sweet, tender crystalline and juicy, altogether quite superior ..	6d.	1/0	10/6
Florida Favourite , oblong, green flash ..	6d.	1/0	10/6
with dark stripe, deep red			
The Boss , very large, and when well grown a splendid Melon ..	6d.	1/0	10/6
Tom Watson , long dark green, very fine ..	6d.	1/0	10/6
ONION: Yellow Cape ..	6d.	1/0	12/6
Giant White Italian ..	6d.	1/3	12/6
Danver's Yellow Flat ..	6d.	1/6	12/6
Australian Brown , a very fine solid keeping Onion; highly recommended ..	6d.	1/0	12/6
Early White Queen , a fine white large Onion, mild in flavour; one of the best and surest croppers; grows rapidly and bulbs up quickly ..	6d.	1/0	12/6
Silver King , a very large white, single bulbs often weigh 2½ to 4 lbs.; of particularly mild and pleasant flavour ..	6d.	1/3	12/6
Up-to-Date (selected stock), a large solid globe-shaped Onion of a bright straw colour; a good keeper ..	6d.	1/6	16/0
Wethersfield , large red ..	6d.	1/6	—
White Spanish , straw coloured; suitable for growing to use green ..	6d.	1/6	12/6
Ailsa Craig , large brown, exhibition, very fine ..	6d.	1/6	—
Prizetaker , very fine brown ..	6d.	1/6	—

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	Pkt.	Oz.	Lb.		Pkt.	Oz.	Lb.
PARSLEY:				RHUBARB:			
Extra Curled	3d.	1/0	—	Burbank's Crimson Winter	1/0	2/6	—
PEAS:				Champagne, early, producing good sized stems of a good colour	6d.	1/6	—
English Wonder, very early; length of haulm, 1 foot. . .	—	—	1/3	Early Paragon	6d. and	1/0	—
Matchless Marrowfat; length of haulm, 3 feet.	—	—	1/3	Mixed, best varieties	6d. and	1/0	—
Pride of the Market, one of the most popular and profitable market peas in existence; length of haulm, 2 feet . . .	—	—	1/0	SALSAFY	6d.	1/0	—
Stratagem, splendid large-podded wrinkled variety, of strong growth; there is no better pea for general purposes in this country, satisfaction every time; length of haulm, 2 feet . .	—	—	1/3	SCORZONERA	6d.	1/0	—
Yorkshire Hero, a very prolific dwarf marrow Pea, bearing a profusion of well-filled pods with 6 to 8 large peas in each, very fine flavour; length of haulm, 2½ feet	6d.	—	1/0	SHALLOTS: Bulbs . . . per 100,	2/6.		
Gladiator, heavy cropper, early main crop smooth seed, height 2 ft.	6d.	—	1/0	SPINACH:			
Marrowfat, Sutton's Best of All, very fine cropper, height 2½ ft.	6d.	—	1/3	Broad Flanders, larger than the Round-Leaved Summer; hardy, and one of the best for autumn sowing	3d.	1/0	—
James Kelway, distinct green dimpled seeds, eight to ten peas in a pod, very sweet, height 2 ft.	6d.	—	1/6	Round Lettuce-leaved or Summer, the best for general use . . .	3d.	1/0	—
Black Eyed Susan, very hardy, early field pea	—	—	6d.	New Zealand	6d.	—	5/0
PARSNIP:				SWISS CHARD OR SPINACH BEET:			
Early Short Round or Turnip- rooted	3d.	9d	5/0	Yellow cutting	3d.	9d.	5/0
Long Smooth Hollow Crown . .	3d.	9d.	5/0	SEA KALE	6d.	1/0	—
New Intermediate	3d.	9d.	5/0	TOMATO:			
PUMPKINS:				American Beauty, purple	6d.	3/0	—
Cheese, very good table variety, prolific and a good keeper . .	3d.	6d.	4/0	Matchless, extra large smooth fruit of a good quality and fine red colour	6d.	2/6	—
Mammoth, large, suitable for stock feeding	3d.	6d.	5/6	Marvel of the Market, early, handsome scarlet-red fruit of large size; enormous cropper. This is the best rust-resisting sort we know of; crops can be gathered from it when all other sorts fail from disease. 6d. and 1/0 2/6	6d. and	1/0 2/6	—
Tours, very large, suitable for stock feeding.	3d.	6d.	5/6	Ponderosa, of the largest size, scarlet	6d. and	1/0 2/6	—
RADISH:				Red Cherry, small, early. . .	6d. and	1/0	—
Black Long Spanish, grows to a large size; called by the Germans "Rettig"	3d.	1/0	—	Yellow Cherry, small, early. 6d. and 1/0	6d. and	1/0	—
Black Round Radish	3d.	1/0	—	Golden Queen	6d.	—	—
French Breakfast, olive-shaped scarlet, white tipped; crisp . .	3d.	1/0	6/0	GARDEN TURNIP:			
Long Scarlet Short-Top, excellent, long, clean and crisp	3d.	1/0	—	Early Red-Top American Stone Strap Leaf.	6d. and	3d.	1/0 6/0
Long White Icing	3d.	1/0	4/0	Early Snowball, Improved	6d. and	3d.	1/0 6/0
Round Turnip, Scarlet, comes in early; an excellent variety . .	3d.	1/0	6/0	Golden Ball or Orange Jelly. 6d. and	6d. and	3d.	— 6/0
Round Turnip, White	3d.	1/0	6/0	White Flat Dutch Garden	6d. and	3d.	— 6/0
Round Turnip, Mixed	3d.	1/0	6/0	Large White Globe, purple top, field	3d.	6d.	4/6
				VEGETABLE MARROW:			
				Custard, White American (bush variety); one of the best . .	3d.	1/0	—
				Custard, Elector's Cap (bush variety), yellow	3d.	1/0	—
				Early Bush Crookneck	3d.	1/0	—
				Hubbard Squash, large size, good keeper	3d.	1/0	—
				Long Green (bush variety) . . .	3d.	1/0	—
				Long White (bush variety), a free cropping variety of good quality; one of the best for general use	3d.	1/0	—
				Long White (trailing variety) . .	3d.	1/0	—
				Moore's Cream (trailing variety)	3d.	1/0	—

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Early Short Green, changing yellow, trailing variety, first rate quality and very productive ..

6d. 1/0 —

HERBS:

Pkt. Oz. Lb.

Chamomile .. 3d. — —

Dill .. 3d. — —

Horehound .. 3d. — —

Lavender .. 3d. — —

Marjoram (Sweet) .. 3d. — —

Parsley .. 3d. — —

Rosemary .. 3d. — —

Rue .. 3d. — —

Sage .. 3d. — —

Thyme .. 3d. — —

CHEAP COLLECTIONS OF VEGETABLE SEEDS.

Sent carriage free by Post or Rail at our option throughout the Union for 5/-, 7/-, 10/-, 15/- and 20/- each.

CULINARY ROOTS AND PLANTS.

All orders for Culinary Plants should be accompanied with remittance or the order is liable to be delayed. The Carriage on Vegetable Plants consigned to Railway Sidings must be fully prepaid.

Vegetable Plants forwarded per Parcel Post must be fully prepaid. Cabbage, Cauliflower, Beet, Onion, Tomato and Lettuce Plants, if sent per Post, are charged 1/- per 100 extra for packing and postage. If sent by rail a small charge is made for packing.

	Doz.	100.
Asparagus Plants, strong roots ..	2/6	20/0
Beet Plants, orders supplied from April to July ..	—	1/0
Cabbage Plants, orders supplied from January to July, and occasionally at other seasons ..	9/6	per 1,000 1/0
Cauliflower Plants, orders supplied from January to May ..	15/0	per 1,000 1/6
Garlic Bulbs ..	6d.	—
Horse Radish Roots, orders supplied from May to October ..	1/0	—
Lettuce Plants, orders supplied from April to July, and occasionally at other seasons ..	—	1/0
Lavender Plants, in tins ..	6d. each	5/0 —
Mint Roots ..	3d. each	1/0 —
Marjoram Plants ..	3d. each	2/6 —
Onion Plants, ready from April to July. per 1,000 ..	9/6	— 1/0
Rhubarb Roots, for planting June to October ..	each 1/0	10/6 —

CULINARY ROOTS AND PLANTS—Continued.

	Doz.	100.
Rhubarb Roots, smaller size ..	each 9d.	7/6 —
Rhubarb Roots—Burbank's Crimson Winter. Rather thin stalks, but of very fine quality. Much superior in flavour to other sorts. Can be pulled all the year round. Strong roots. Each 1/6 and 2/-; per doz., 15/0 and 18/0		
Sage Plants ..	each 3d.	2/6 —
Shallots, plant in February and March, and again in September or October ..	6d.	2/0
	Doz.	—
Thyme ..	each 3d.	2/6 —
Tomato Plants, ready from August to November ..	—	2/0
Tree Tomato (Cythomandra) Plants ..	9d. each.	

JERUSALEM ARTICHOKE:

Tubers for planting in July to October in a similar manner to Potatoes .. per lb. 6d.

FARM SEEDS.

LUCERNE:	Per lb.
Extra Cleaned Seed, very fine quality. Special quotations for quantities over 25 lbs. ..	2/0
TREE LUCERNE (Cytissus Proliferus) per pkt. 6d.; per oz. 2/6	
MANGEL WURZEL:	
Golden Globe, the most nutritious Mangel in cultivation ..	1/9
Long Red Mammoth, the heaviest cropping variety ..	1/9
COW PEAS:	
Whip-Poor-Will. Sow 25 lbs. per acre; per lb. 6d.	
PUMPKIN:	
Large Tours, for cattle feeding ..	3/6
Cheese, for cattle feeding ..	3/6
PEAS:	
Black Eyed Susan, per lb. 6d.; 25lbs. or more, 5d. per lb.	
SUNFLOWER:	
Small Black-seeded ..	1/6
TOBACCO,	
Turkish .. per pkt., 6d. and 1/0	
Transvaal .. per pkt., 6d. and 1/0	
Groot Swazi, fine pipe tobacco, per pkt., 6d. and 1/0	
FIELD OR FARM TURNIPS:	Per lb.
Large White Globe, Purple Top, well-known valuable variety, good for stock and table use ..	2/0
SWEDE TURNIP:	
Champion Purple Top ..	2/6

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General List of Flower Seeds.

	Per pkt.		Per pkt.
ACROCLINIUM (Everlasting), annual, double, mixed colours	6d.	BEGONIA , Tuberous-rooted:	
AGERATUM:		Double, mixed	2/6
Little Dorrit, blue	6d.	Single, mixed	1/0
Little Dorrit, white	6d.	BIGNONIA gracilis , perennial climber, large pure yellow flowers; very beautiful	6d.
Imperial Blue Dwarf	6d.	BRACHYCOME iberidifolia , Blue Gem	1/0
ADONIS Flos. Scarlet Annual	3d.	CALENDULA officinalis , annual, double mixed	3d.
ALYSSUM:		CALLIOPSIS:	
Sweet, white	3d.	Grandiflora, very large bright yellow perennial	6d.
Saxatile, yellow	3d.	Tinctoria, mixed	3d.
AMARANTHUS:		CANDYTUFT:	
Salicifolius (Fountain Plant), annual	6d.	Giant Hyacinth-flowered, has immense pure white spikes	6d.
Tricolor (Joseph's Coat)	6d.	Dwarf large-flowered hybrids, mixed	6d.
AMPELOPSIS Veitchi (Virginian Creeper)	6d.	White Rocket	3d.
ANEMONE (Windflower), hardy perennial, 2ft.; sow in autumn:		Dobbie's Spiral White	3d. and 6d.
Coronaria, Single Giant French	6d.	CANNA (Indian Shot), choice mixed	6d.
St. Brigid, magnificent strain of very large double and single flowers	1/0	CANTERBURY BELLS:	
ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon):		Single Mixed	3d.
Majus Tall Mixed	3d.	Double Mixed	6d.
Majus Dwarf Mixed	3d.	Calycanthemum, the Calyx-flowered or Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bells	6d.
Majus Grandiflorum, mixed	3d.	Dean's Hybrids, mixed	6d.
Queen Victoria, fine white	6d.	CARNATION:	
Orange Prince, golden bronze, tipped carmine, white throat	6d.	American Tree or Perpetual, finest mixed	2/6
Cottage Maid, Rose and white	6d.	Douglas, finest mixed	2/6
Orange King, orange scarlet	6d.	Giant Chabaud, splendid mixed	1/6
Fire King, orange scarlet, white throat	6d.	Enfant de Nice, mixed colours, very large flowers, about 75 per cent. double	1/6
Crimson King, blood red self	6d.	Marguerite, double mixed	6d. and 1/0
Morning Glow, orange scarlet, pink throat	6d.	Kelway's Model, mixed colours, perennial border	2/6
Nelrose, silvery pink	6d.	CELOSIA , pyramidalis plumosa	6d.
Pink and Terra Cotta Shades	6d.	CENTAUREA:	
Striatum, striped varieties	6d.	Americana, lilac and white, very fine	6d.
AQUILEGIA (Columbine), hardy perennial:		Candidissima, beautiful silver leaf	1/0
Long-spurred hybrids, mixed	6d.	Imperialis	6d.
ASTERS (Annual). The first sowing may be made in July, afterwards in succession, according to the locality till December.		CINERARIA hybrida , choice mixed	1/6
Comet, Giant, choice mixed	6d.	CLARKIA elegans , annual, double mixed	3d.
Comet, Giant, pure white	6d.	CHRYSANTHEMUM:	
Hercules, White, Giant-flowered, pure white, of the Ostrich plume type	1/0	Carinatum, single mixed, annual	3d.
Victoria, finest mixed	6d.	Conorarium, double mixed, annual	3d.
Paeony-flowered, Truffaut's Finest Mixed. 6d. and 1/0		Chrysanthemum Maximum, Shasta Daisy, large white flowers, excellent for cutting	6d.
Vick's Finest Late Branching	6d.	CHELONE Barbata . Perennial (Coral plant)	6d.
Improved Single Chinese Comet, mixed	6d.	COBEA scandens , half-hardy perennial, rapid growing climber with purple bell-shaped flowers	6d.
New Mammoth Ostrich Plume, height 2 ft., with enormous flowers; finest mixed colours	1/0	COCKSCOMB , tender annual, finest mixed colours	6d.
Tall Violet Plume	6d.	COLEUS , choice mixed	1/0
Tall Rose Plume	6d.	COLUMBINE (see Aquilegia).	
Tall Lavender Plume	6d.	CONVOLVULUS:	
Crego, Aster, finest mixed	6d.	Major (Morning Glory), hardy annual, climber, mixed	3d.
ASTER (Perennial), (Michaelmas Daisy) mixed	6d.	Beautiful large blue	6d.
BALSAM:		CORNFLOWER , or Bachelor's Button, hardy annual, 2 ft.	3d.
Camellia-flowered, mixed colours	6d.		
Double, fine mixed	6d.		

J. HOBSON & CO., Nurserymen and Seedsmen.

	Per pkt.		Per pkt.
COSMOS , hardy annual; fine for cutting		HELIANTHUS (Sunflower), hardy annual:	
Large White	6d.	Cucumerifolius , miniature Sunflower, yellow ..	3d.
Mammoth-flowering , mixed	6d.	Large-flowered , single	3d. and 6d.
Klondyke Yellow	6d.	Moonlight , new creamy white Sunflower;	
Crested , mixed colours	1/0	grand for cutting	6d.
CYCLAMEN persicum, grandiflorum; half hardy.		New Miniature Hybrids , height 4 to 6 feet ..	1/0
This makes a beautiful pot plant for the		Silver leaved , 5 ft.	3d.
greenhouse or sheltered stoep. Winter		Tithonia (Red Sunflower)	6d.
flowering. Magnificent strain of the largest		Sunflower , Sutton's Red	6d.
flowers	2/0		
DAHLIA:		HOLLYHOCK , hardy perennial, 6ft., fine mixed	6d.
Double , mixed	6d.	HUNNEMANNIA Fumaraefolia (Perennial	
Single , mixed	6d.	Poppy), 2 ft., bright yellow flowers; does	
DAISY: Hardy perennial. The Daisy is usually		not transplant well	6d.
best treated as an annual in this country,		INDIAN PINK (see Dianthus).	
sowing the seed in March or April.		IPOMOPSIS elegans . Biennial, scarlet and yellow	
Giant Snowball , the largest and finest white ..	1/0	mixed	6d.
Double Mixed	6d.	JACOBEE (Senecio Elegans), hardy annual, 8	
Double Rose	6d.	ft., double, finest mixed, rich colours	3d.
Bellis Perrenis , double red quilled	6d.	KOCHIA tricophylla (Mock or Summer	
DELPHINIUM (Perennial Larkspur):		Cypress). It is grown for its ornamental	
Hybridum , choicest mixed	6d. and 1/0	foliage and its shapely habit of growth,	
Blue Butterfly , brilliant deep blue	6d. and 1/0	which is very pleasing and beautiful. Sum-	
Belladonna	6d.	mer annual	3d.
DIANTHUS:		LARKSPUR , hardy annual, 2 ft.:	
Chinensis (Indian Pink), double mixed . . .	6d.	Branching , mixed	3d.
Heddewigii , double mixed	6d.	Giant Hyacinth-flowered , double mixed . . .	6d.
DIGITALIS (Foxglove), choice mixed	6d.	Tall Rocket , mixed	3d.
DIMORPHOTHECA aurantiaca (Golden Mar-		Emperor , double mixed	6d.
guerite)	6d.	Rosy Morn	6d.
New double	1/0	LEPTOSYNE maritima , yellow	3d.
ESCHSCHOLTZIA Californica: Hardy annual,		LINARIA maroccana , hybrid, mixed	3d.
1 ft., finest mixed	3d.	LINUM grandiflorum (Scarlet-flowered Flax),	
FORGET-ME-NOT , large flowering, very fine.		hardy annual, 1½ ft.	3d.
.	6d. and 1/0	LOBELIA , half-hardy perennial, height 9 in.:	
FREESIA, refracta alba	6d.	Crystal Palace compacta , deep blue	6d.
GAILLARDIA . Hardy perennial, 2 ft.:		Gracilis , suitable for growing in baskets . . .	6d.
Lorenziana , double mixed	3d.	LUPINUS polyphyllus , "Excelsior," a fine strain	
Perennis grandiflora , large-flowered, mixed ..	3d.	of hardy perennial Lupins	6d.
Hybrid , very large flowering	6d.	LUPINS , hardy annual, 2 ft., finest mixed	3d.
GEUM , "Mrs. Bradshaw," a fine double scarlet		LUPINS , yellow	6d.
flower	1/0	LUPINS , large white	6d.
GLADIOLUS, Gandavensis Hybrids , mixed . . .	6d.	LUPINS , large blue	6d.
GLOBE AMARANTHUS , mixed	3d.	Sulphur Whorl , very fine new yellow	6d.
GLOXINIA , tender perennial for greenhouse cul-		MANDEVILLEA , hardy perennial climber; pure	
ture, finest varieties, mixed	2/0	white, sweet scented flowers	6d.
GOSETIA , mixed	3d.	MARIGOLD:	
GRENADILLA (Passiflora Edulis), hardy peren-		African , double mixed	3d.
nial climber, highly prized for its fruit ..	6d.	French , tall, double mixed	3d.
GYPSOPHILA elegans grandiflora (Cloud		MATRICARIA , double white, fine for cutting ..	3d.
Plant), hardy annual, pure white	3d.	MAURANDYA , half-hardy perennial climber	
Rose carmine	6d.	with small purplish mauve flowers; excel-	
Paniculata , single white, perennial	6d.	lent for trellis work, verandahs, etc., easily	
Paniculata , double white, perennial	1/0	grown	6d.
HEARTSEASE (see Pansy).		MESEMBRYANTHEMUM cunifolium , annual	
HELICHRYSUM bracteatum (Everlastings),		mixed	1/0
hardy annual, double, mixed	3d.	MIGNONETTE:	
HELIOTROPE , half-hardy perennial, choice		Gigantea Pyramidalis	3d. and 6d.
mixed	6d.	Golden Queen	6d.
		Large-flowering	3d.
		Machet, Red	6d.

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	Per pkt.		Per pkt.
MINA Lobata , half-hardy annual, beautiful climber for trellis, etc.; colour orange and scarlet; sow in early summer .. 6d. and	1/0	SCABIOUS:	
NASTURTIUM:		Azure Fairy , rich pale blue	6d.
Tall, mixed	3d.	Caucasica , hardy perennial, height 2 ft.; flowers delicate lavender-blue	1/0
Dwarf Tom Thumb, mixed	3d.	Major double , deep rose pink	6d.
Lobbianum Hybrid, mixed	6d.	Major Double , ageratum blue	6d.
NEMESIA STRUMOSA , <i>grandiflora</i> , mixed ..	6d.	Major double , yellow	6d.
NEMOPHILA , fine mixed	6d.	Major double , mauve	6d.
NIGELLA , Miss Jekyll, bright cornflower-blue..	3d.	Azure Fairy	6d.
PANSY .—February to August is the best time to sow; the earlier the better. Hardy perennial:		Tall, double mixed	3d.
Trimardeau, or Giant Pansies, mixed; this class produces flowers of great size. 6d. and	1/0	Japonica	6d.
Golden Queen, pure yellow	1/0	SHIZANTHUS (Butterfly Flower):	
King of the Blacks	6d.	Grandiflorus , Garaway's Hybrids	9d.
Snow Queen, pure satiny white	6d.	SNAPDRAGON (see Antirrhinum).	
Mixed, good mixture	3d. and 6d.	STATICE: Sea Lavender , useful everlasting flower, mixed	6d.
English Show, finest mixed	1/0	Latifolia . Large sprays of small flowers .. .	6d.
Kelway's Choicest, mixed	1/0	Sinuata , white	6d.
Hurst's Giant Strain, mixed	1/0	Sinuata , rosea	6d.
PENSTEMON .—Hardy perennial, 2 ft., beautiful trumpet-shaped flowers borne on large spikes:		Bonduelli , yellow	6d.
Hurst's Monarch	1/5	STOCKS:	
Gentianoides, mixed	6d.	Ten-week . Hardy annual. In this district we usually obtain the finest Stocks by sowing in March and April, but Stocks may be sown at almost any season:	
Newbury Gem, bright scarlet	1/6	Russian , double, fine mixed	6d.
PETUNIA:		Large-flowering , mixed	6d.
Single Mixed	6d.	Large-flowering , white	6d. and 1/0
Finest Double Mixed	2/6	GIANT BEAUTY OF NICE:	
Large-flowering <i>superbissima</i> , mixed colours..	1/0	Magnificent strain of robust growth and freely branching habit, producing immense spikes of very large fragrant flowers; used as Ten-week varieties they come early into flower, and continue to bloom for a long period.	
PHLOX Drummondii grandiflora , hardy annual, large flowering, splendid mixed	6d.	Per Packet, 6d. and 1/-.	
PHLOX Cuspidata . "Star of Quedlinburg."		Almond Blossom	6d. and 1/0
POPPY .—Hardy annual:		Beauty of Nice , delicate shade of flesh-pink. 6d. and	1/0
Carnation-flowered, double	3d.	Carmine of Nice	6d. and 1/0
Ranunculus-flowered, double, mixed	3d.	Crimson King	6d. and 1/0
The Shirley, single mixed	3d.	Queen Alexandra , rosy lilac	6d. and 1/0
Iceland	6d.	Light Violet , beautiful colour	6d. and 1/0
Double Queen	6d.	Peach Blossom	6d. and 1/0
Paeony-flowered	3d.	Madame Rivoire , fine white	6d. and 1/0
POPPY , Baker's Sunbeam	6d.	Mont Blanc , pure white	6d. and 1/0
PORTULACA:		Old Rose	6d. and 1/0
Single large-flowering, mixed	3d.	Rose of Nice	—
Double large-flowering, choice double flowers; mixed	6d.	White	6d. and 1/0
PRIMULA sinensis (Chinese Primrose):		Princess Alice , white.	
Fimbriata, splendid mixed	2/0	Belle-denice , delicate shade of flesh pink.	
Obconica <i>grandiflora hybrida</i> , splendid mixed, fine pot plant	1/6	Bouquet , dwarf, carmine rose.	
Malacoides, hardy; small pink flowers	1/0	Camoldoli , dark violet.	
PYRETHRUM aureum (Golden Feather)	6d.	La-Brilliant , carmine red early.	
RANUNCULUS , hardy tuberous perennial. Sow in April:		Queen Alexandra , rosy lilac.	
<i>Orientalis superbissima</i> , double, finest mixed, though saved from double flowers only, about 50 per cent. will come single	6d.	Rose-of-Nice , carmine rose.	
SALVIA:		Superb Mixture of Beauty Stocks.	
Splendens, Fireball, deep fiery scarlet .. .	1/0	Winter or Brompton Stocks , Perpetual, extra fine mixed	6d. and 1/0
Farinacea, beautiful lavender-blue	1/0	Virginian Stock	3d.
Zurich dwarf, brilliant scarlet	1/0		
SALPIGLOSSIS .—Half-hardy annuals, 2 ft. Beautifully pencilled large flowers in many rich and varied colours:			
<i>Grandiflora</i> , splendid mixed	6d.		

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SWEET PEAS.

LARGE FLOWERING EARLY SPENCERS OR WINTER-FLOWERING SWEET PEAS.

per pkt., 6d. and 1/0

Near the Coast or in sheltered localities these early flowering Sweet Peas will bloom throughout the winter and spring. They are also equally good for summer flowering, and much superior to the old varieties for the South African climate. They come into bloom in less than half the time required by the late flowering varieties, and are much easier to grow. For winter and spring flowers, sowings should be made in February and March, and successional sowings for summer flowers up to October. In frosty localities sow from June to October. Sow in rows or in small clumps. Cover the seed one inch deep, and when the plants are above ground, support with twiggy branches or wire netting about 4 ft. high. A sweet loamy soil, well limed, is best for Sweet Peas. To prolong the season of flowering, the blooms should be continuously removed and the plants not allowed to seed.

CONCORD ALBURY BEAUTY, very fine soft salmon, large.

CONCORD ALBURY LAVENDER, beautiful shade of true lavender.

CONCORD CHARM, white tinted light lavender.

CONCORD COUNTESS IMPROVED, light blush pink with deeper shades.

CONCORD BLUSH SHADES, immense blooms of greatest substance.

CONCORD GREY FLAKES, rich chocolate flakes and markings on grey ground.

CONCORD EMPEROR, rich crimson red, glowing colour, fine size.

CONCORD RADIANCE IMPROVED, glowing tint of clear rosy cerise.

CONCORD RUBY, glowing crimson-scarlet, very striking colour.

CONCORD SNOWBIRD, finest white.

CONCORD YARRAWA, deep rose pink, wings soft blush pink.

CONCORD BLUE EYES, soft porcelain blue.

MORNING STAR, orange scarlet.

CREAM BEAUTY, excellent cream.

CONGO, chocolate maroon.

BLUE JACKET, dark navy blue.

AMETHYEST, royal purple.

TRUE BLUE, violet purple.

SPLENDOUR, rose crimson, distinct.

GLITTERS, orange scarlet.

ROSE QUEEN, rose pink.

ZVOLANEKS ROSE, deep pink.

CONCORD GIANT, mixed.

**SUMMER FLOWERING GIANT FLOWERED
SPENCER: Sweet Peas**, finest mixed—

6d. and 1/0

SUNFLOWER (see *Helianthus*).

SWEET SULTAN, mixed, tender annual 3d.

SWEET WILLIAM:

Mixed 3d.

Double mixed 6d.

THUNBERGIA aurantiaca, creeper; flowers orange, with black eye; very pretty 1/0

VERBENA:

Extra choice mixed, hardy perennial 6d.

Monstrous, auricula-eyed, fine mixture 1/0

VIOLA, finest mixed 6d. and 1/0

WALLFLOWER, choice mixed hybrids 6d.

ZINNIA, annual, 1½ feet:

Achievement, New. Distinct from all other Zinnias; the petals are partially tubular, displaying a rich variety of colours 1/0

Double Giant, mixed 6d.

Double, mixed 3d.

Curled and Crested, finest mixed 6d.

Liliput, mixed colours 6d.

COLLECTIONS OF CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS.

FOR SPRING SOWING (August to November):

Collection No. 1, post free 2/6.

Collection No. 2, post free 5/0.

FOR AUTUMN SOWING (March to June):

Collection No. 3, post free 2/6.

Collection No. 4, post free 5/0.

TREE AND SHRUB SEEDS.

ABERIA Caffra (Kei Apple) per oz., 1/6 6d.

ACACIA mollissima (Black Wattle) per lb., 2/- 6d.

CALLISTEMON (Bottlebrush) 6d.

CASTANOSPERMUM Australis, fine shade tree 1/0

CASUARINA:

Leptoclada (Upright Beefwood) 6d.

CUPRESSUS:

Horizontalis 6d. and 1/0

Pyramidalis 6d. and 1/0

Macrocarpa 6d. and 1/0

EUCALYPTUS (Gum), in variety 6d. and 1/0

GREVILLEA robusta (Silver Oak) 6d. and 1/0

PINUS:

Canariensis (Canary Island Pine) 6d. and 1/0

Insignis, fast growing 1/0

Pinaster (Cluster Pine) 6d. and 1/0

Halapensis (Aleppo Pine) 6d. and 1/0

SCHINUS molle (Pepper Tree) 6d. and 1/0

STERCULIA:

Acerifolia 1/0

Rupestris 1/0

THUYA orientalis (Chinese Arborvitæ) 6d.

WATTLE, Black (see *Acacia*) per lb., 2/-

LAWN GRASS SEEDS.

Per lb., 2/-.

Roses.

At our Nurseries, King William's Town, having unrivalled facilities for propagating Roses, we make a speciality of these plants, growing many thousands annually. This fact, coupled with our long experience, enables us to produce Rose Trees unsurpassed in quality, and to offer them at a cheap rate (considering quality) as any other reliable firm in South Africa. Our stock this season is probably the largest, and certainly the finest, ever offered in this country. Our aim is to turn out an article of high and uniform quality at a reasonable price. All our roses are grown without irrigation on open lands, and are consequently very hardy, the wood being thoroughly matured and short-

jointed. Our Roses are budded so close to the roots of the stock that they are as short-legged as if on their own roots, thus reducing the risk of suckers to a minimum. This season, as usual, we have obtained the cream of the new varieties put into commerce by the leading Rose Growers of Europe and America, and after trial included the best of them in our list, omitting from our list some older varieties which we consider are now surpassed by newer introductions in their respective classes. Customers leaving the selection of varieties to ourselves may rely upon securing every advantage that long experience and personal attention can suggest.

HINTS ON GROWING ROSES.

On Arrival of Package.—It should be taken to a shed or sheltered place and immediately unpacked, the plants thoroughly wetted (roots and tops) and covered with a damp sack or mat. Should there be a hot, dry wind blowing, or the weather otherwise unfavourable for immediate planting, the plants may be kept for a short time covered up in the shed, but if the ground is not ready, or from other causes a delay of some days is likely to occur before planting, it is better to open a trench in a convenient sheltered place and heel the plants in (that is, temporarily plant them thick together), make the soil firm round the roots, and give a good watering to settle the soil round them.

WHEN PLANTING.

The roots should not be exposed to the drying influence of the air a longer time than is necessary in transferring from the shelter of the sack to the soil. Spread the roots out in a natural downward position, working some fine soil between them, make the whole firm with the foot, and give a good soaking of water. Do not put manure on the bare roots.

Under no circumstances should the plants be shaded from the sun.

TIME OF THE YEAR TO PLANT.

Roses may be planted from the open ground from May to September. July, August and September are generally the best and most convenient months in which to plant.

In cold, frosty districts we advise planting as late in the spring as possible, but plants should be ordered beforehand, so that the varieties required can be booked and reserved for forwarding at the best time.

PREPARATION OF THE GROUND.

A place sheltered from high winds, open, and not surrounded by trees should, if possible, be assigned to them. The ground should be prepared by being deeply dug or trenched to a depth of at least 18 inches, mixing a fair quantity of rotted manure with the soil. If rain falls after the ground is prepared and before planting, so much the better, but if the ground is very dry it should be well watered, if possible, a few days before planting.

MANURING.

Roses are gross feeders, and to produce fine flowers require a fair quantity of manure. Good cow manure, after being thrown into a heap and rotted, is generally the best and most convenient to use in this part of the world; it should be dug well into the soil before planting. In addition to Kraal Manure, or, if this is not available, dissolved bone manure and guano in equal quantities can be applied, about 4 oz. to the square yard. A good dusting of lime should also be given twice a year.

WATERING.

Should the spring and summer be dry, all newly planted trees will require careful watching to see that the soil is kept moist. If the soil is well drained little harm can be done by watering, but the Rose will not thrive in a stagnant soil, so that if the drainage is not of the best, water should be judiciously applied, giving one good soaking rather than frequent dribbles. After every watering, so soon as the surface of the ground has dried sufficiently, the surface should be lightly stirred to prevent the soil baking and cracking.

PESTS AND REMEDIES.

For **Green Fly**, which attacks the young shoots and buds, and often very troublesome in early spring, water applied with force through syringe will dislodge a good many; also where the plants are few an **Aphis** brush may be applied with simple and good effect. **Tobacco** water is also a good and safe remedy, also **Katakilla Powder**.

FUNGUS KNOWN AS BLACK SPOT.

This disease has become very widespread and virulent wherever roses are grown. Some varieties, and more especially the **Pernetiana** family, are afflicted with this fungus, which, in our opinion, is closely connected with the disease called "die-back." Which disease affects the stems causing them to die back.

The leaves first become brown in spots and eventually turn black and fall off. The stems also are affected.

REMEDY.

Dead leaves and parts of plants should be collected and burnt. After the winter pruning the plants should be sprayed or brushed over with "Bordeaux Mixture," or other fungicide such as lime or sulphur.

MILDEW.

This shows as a grey, hoary-looking substance on the young leaves, causing them to curl. Some varieties are very subject to mildew, while others growing under the same conditions may be immune. In some seasons it is more prevalent than in others; variations of temperature, cold winds, etc., are contributing causes, the check to the plants thus caused putting the growth in a favourable condition for the development of the spores. One of the best remedies is Flowers of Sulphur dusted over the affected parts as soon as it makes its appearance, choosing a calm day to apply it.

PRUNING.

A rose is not a plant to grow onward and upwards, spreading and branching, without leaving behind dead and useless branches, unripe, and immature wood, caused by the branches crowding in their struggle for existence. Shoots are continually being formed below the leading points of growth, and the Rose in its natural state has thus every year some branches which are becoming weakened by the fresh young shoots growing out below them, and this is one of the first reasons why pruning is required.

The objects in view are to prevent the shoots crowding and robbing each other, thus to maintain the uniform vigour, to balance and preserve the shape of the plants, and further, by reducing the number of shoots and branches, more sap and vigour is thrown into those left, giving more size, substance and colour to the flowers. The pruner must be guided in the amount of wood to be removed by the habit of each plant treated, as there is a considerable difference, not only in the habits of growth of the different classes of Roses, but some varieties are weak growers, and these latter will require to be more closely pruned than those of more robust habit. Taking first the class of the so-called **Hybrid Perpetuals**, the first care should be to cut out all dead wood, and all wood, however thick and old which, as shown by the small growth made last season, is becoming weakly in comparison with stronger shoots, leaving the young, strong and well-ripened shoots. These shoots should be cut back to five or six

eyes, bearing in mind that the top bud left of each shoot will grow first, and in the direction in which it points. We should always cut back to a bud that looks outwards, and take care that the centre will not be too crowded. In proportion as a plant is strong in growth, either from the natural habit of the variety, or in a less degree from the actual condition of the individual, leave more buds on each shoot, because the strong grower has a capability of supplying several buds on each shoot with a sufficiency of sap for good blooms, and in proportion as a plant is weakly in growth fewer buds should be left, because the weak grower has only sufficient strength to supply to one or two buds on each shoot, and if more are left the power will not be sufficiently concentrated to form good blooms. If we want to get rid of a misplaced shoot it should be cut right out at the bottom; merely cutting it back will only make it grow the more. Particular care should be taken to entirely remove any suckers or shoots coming up from the stock. Newly planted Roses should especially be carefully watched the first year after planting for shoots coming up from the roots below where the plant has been budded.

TEAS AND HYBRID TEAS.

If large exhibition blooms are desired, these free blooming Roses should be pruned back as hard as the H.P.'s, but if grown for ordinary cutting and garden decoration moderate pruning, a removal of dead and weak wood and budless tips, with a judicious thinning of the branches will suffice.

BANKSIAN ROSES, also the MACARTNEY, AGLAIA, and the WICHURIANA RAMBLERS.

Any pruning that these Ramblers require should be done immediately after flowering. This will consist mainly of old wood and branches that are overcrowding, to make room for the new shoots just starting. These shoots should be left to ramble and flower their whole length.

CLIMBING NOISETTES and CLIMBING TEAS and HYBRID TEAS.

Climbing Roses, such as M. Niel, Reine M. Henriette, Paul's Scarlet Climber, Climbing Cochet, Climbing Sunburst, etc., must be treated differently. The long, strong shoots of the year should be reserved to nearly their full length, and the old and weak wood only cut out.

Abbreviations.

Hybrid Perpetuals (HP)—The Hybrid Perpetuals are hardy; the flowers highly fragrant, as well as large and exquisitely beautiful in all the colours of the Rose, yellow alone excepted. In this class will be found the richest dark colours. They are not, however, so free flowering as the Teas and Hybrid Teas. They thrive best in a rich soil with close pruning, and unless well cultivated will not show their true colours at all.

Tea-Scented (T)—This beautiful class of perpetual blooming Roses is celebrated for the extreme

delicacy of colouring and delicious fragrance, and cannot be too highly recommended. The colours of the flowers are white, yellow, copper and crimson of various shades, and the long shell-like buds are of exquisite beauty. Many varieties produce flowers of large size. Moderate pruning is the best.

Hybrid Teas (HT)—This class is largely on the increase, and furnishes us with some of the freest flowering and most delightful Roses in cultivation, including the Teas and Noisettes; they are more satisfactory in South Africa than any other class.

Abbreviations—continued.

China (C)—Compared with other Roses these are of small growth. Here are some rich crimson Roses, very beautiful, giving an abundance and constant succession of flowers.

Climbing Roses (Cib.)

Noisettes (N)—The Noisettes bloom mostly in large clusters; sweet-scented. Some of them scarcely cease blooming throughout the year. They are mostly free growers and well adapted for climbing and pillar Roses.

Bourbon (B)—These are hardy and free bloomers, especially good in the autumn.

Dwarf Polyantha (Dwf. P)—The type of this group is a summer-flowering Rose, a native of Japan. The dwarf varieties grow about 18 to 24 inches in height, giving a constant succession of bloom in large clusters. They are very beautiful, and suitable for edging to beds or paths.

Polyantha (P)—These are of strong growth, and form handsome climbing Roses, covering plenty of space.

Wichuriana (Wich.)—The type of this group is of Japanese origin. It is essentially of a trailing habit of growth, producing long shoots which run along the ground, carpeting it with a mass of shining deep green foliage studded with brilliant blossoms. The varieties that have sprung from it form valuable running and trailing plants for covering banks and arbours, etc., being remarkable for their beautiful shining foliage as well as for their flowers, which are very beautiful.

Pernetiana (P)—These varieties are hybrids of the Austrian Briar, raised by Mons. Pernet-Duchier, and comprise more wonderful colours than are to be found in any other class.

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PLEASE NOTE.—As the season advances some varieties will become sold out. We suggest that customers making their own selection should name a few supplementary varieties as substitutes in case any sort of their first selection be sold out. If no substitution is desired, write "No Substitution" on the order, and we shall then fill the order only so far as we have plants of the varieties ordered in stock.

BOOKING ORDERS.—To prevent disappointment all orders should be sent to us as early in the season as possible, so that the plants can be booked and reserved for delivery at the most suitable time.

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ADMIRATION. 1922. Soft pearly cream, heavily washed and shaded crimson; blooms large, of good form and substance. Sweetly perfumed. 2/6 H.T.

ADOLPH KARGER. 1917. Orange yellow to creamy white; long and well shaped bud. H.T.

ALLEN CHANDLER. 1925. Colour vivid scarlet; nearly single; a very fine and most effective pillar rose, blooming continuously throughout the season. Gold Medal, N.R.S. 5/- H.T.

ALEXANDER HILL GRAY. 1911. Deep lemon yellow, with deeper centre. Tea-scented. Gold Medal, National Rose Society . . . T.

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AMERICA. 1923. Beautiful shade of pink; long pointed buds and perfectly formed flowers of good substance, carried on a long upright neck. Wonderfully perfumed. An American introduction of distinct merit. 3/6 H.T.

ANGELE PERNET. 1925. Reddish orange, shaded and bordered with chrome yellow; outside of petals fiery golden yellow; handsome glossy bronze green foliage. Very sweet scented. Perpetual flowering. 5/- Pernetiana

ANNIE CRAWFORD. 1915. Clear bright pink; large and full. Gold medal, N.R.S. . . . H.T.

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- ANNIE LAURIE.** 1925. Pale salmon pink; free, well-formed flowers carried singly on stout, upright stems. Good grower and very floriferous. 5/- H.T.
- ANTOINE RIVOIRE.** 1895. A full camellia shaped flower, rosy flesh colour, yellowish at the base; magnificent in the bud; robust habit H.T.
- ARCHIMEDE.** 1879. Pale flesh, strong grower and very floriferous T.
- ARTHUR R. GOODWIN.** 1909. Coppery orange-red passing to salmon flesh pink, fragrant Pernetiana
- ASPIRANT MARCEL ROUYER.** 1919. Apricot red, and salmon flesh and yellow. Long pointed buds. Elegant H.T.
- AUGUSTE RODRIGUES.** 1911. Fiery red, centre sometimes pure carmine H.T.
- AUGUSTINE GUINOISSEAU.** 1889. White, tinted rose blush. Sport from "La France" H.T.
- BABY DOROTHY.** 1907. Rose-pink, very pretty and free flowering Dwf. Poly.
- BARDOU JOB.** 1887. Glowing crimson, shaded black. Single. Perpetual pillar rose H.P.
- BARON de BONSTETTEN.** 1872. Dark, velvety crimson, large and full; fragrant. H.P.
- BEAUTE INCONSTANTE.** 1893. Coppery-red, shaded with carmine and yellow; very pretty and free blooming T.
- BESSIE BROWN.** 1899. Creamy white; large and full. Exhibition. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- BESSIE CHAPLIN.** 1922. Bright pink; blooms large, of good substance H.T.
- BETTY.** 1905. Coppery-yellow, overspread with deep golden rose; very fine and constant. Fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- BETTY HULTON.** 1924. Intense saffron-yellow with deep golden centre, very brilliant and attractive. Exquisitely fragrant. 3/6 H.T.
- BETTY UPRICHARD.** 1922. Inner face of petals delicate salmon pink to carmine, reverse of petals glowing carmine with coppery sheen and a suffusion of orange. Growth vigorous and branching, blooming constantly throughout the season. Deliciously fragrant. A splendid decorative variety.
- BLACK PRINCE.** 1866. Deep crimson; large, globular H.P.
- BLANCHE MOREAU.** 1880. Pure white, large pointed buds, well mossed; in clusters. Taragon scented leaves Moss
- BOULE de NIEGE.** 1867. Pure white, blooming in clusters, small, but good shape; a favourite garden rose H.B.
- BRIDESMAID.** 1892. Sport from "Catherine Mermet" of deeper pink colour; excellent for cut work T.
- CANARIENVOGEL.** 1903. Saffron to golden and amber yellow, spotted with rose and purple. Flowering in trusses. Dwf. Poly.

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- CAPTAIN CHRISTY.** 1873. Soft salmon flesh pink with deeper centre; large and open H.T.
- CARINE.** 1911. Orange carmine to creamy salmon, long pointed buds. Tea scented. Button-hole rose H.T.
- CAROLINE TESTOUT.** 1890. Satin rose with brighter centre; large full, very free and fragrant H.T.
- CATHERINE MERMET.** 1869. Pale pink to yellowish flesh, edged with lilac rose; imbricated and free. Tea scented T.
- CECILE BRUNNER.** 1880. Bright rose, shaded pale pink, very pretty and free Dwf. Poly.
- CHARLES E. SHEA.** 1917. Rich salmon pink. Gold medal, National Rose Society H.T.
- CHARLES K. DOUGLAS.** 1919. Intense flaming scarlet, flushed velvety crimson; long pointed buds, very free and fragrant H.T.
- CHATEAU de CLOS VOUGEOT.** 1908. Velvety scarlet, shaded fiery red, changing to dark velvety crimson; very floriferous and highly perfumed H.T.
- CLARA WATSON.** 1894. Pink tinted salmon; large and full. A fine rose H.T.
- CLARICE GOODACRE.** 1916. Biscuit-chrome on ivory white; long buds and stiff petals. Tangerine orange perfume H.T.
- COLONEL OSWALD FITZGERALD.** 1917. Rich blood-red velvety crimson, cupped and imbricated. Faintly tea-scented H.T.
- COMTESSE de RAFELIS ST. SAUVEUR.** 1915. Reddish orange shaded coral red; semi-double, free flowering, very pretty H.T.
- COMTESSE du CAYLA.** 1902. Reddish carmine, tinted orange on back of petals, shading to orange yellow China.
- COPPER AUSTRIAN.** 1596. Bright reddish copper; single. Requires little pruning A.B.
- COUNTESS CLANWILLIAM.** 1913. Delicate peach pink, edged with cherry red; long pointed buds, very free and constant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- COUNTESS OF GOSFORD.** 1906. Salmon pink, suffused saffron yellow. Good grower and free flowering H.T.
- COURTNEY PAGE.** 1921. Scarlet crimson, shaded deeper crimson, of velvety brilliance. Fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- CONVENT GARDEN.** 1919. Deep rich red; high centered; well formed and free H.T.
- CRAMOISE SUPERIEURE.** 1835. Rich glowing crimson. Very free and effective bedder. China
- CRIMSON EMBLEM.** 1916. Brilliant crimson scarlet; free and vigorous growth. Highly perfumed H.T.
- C. V. HAWORTH.** 1917. Intense black scarlet, shaded with crimson. Deliciously fragrant H.T.
- CYCLOPE.** 1910. Crimson maroon, striped white. Very free and beautiful Dwf. Poly.

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DAVID PRADEL. 1851. Pale rose, tinted lavender, large, semi-transparent petals, softly shaded, a distinct and beautiful Tea Rose	T.
DEAN HOLE. 1904. Silvery carmine, shaded salmon; large and full, fine form. Fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
DIADEM. 1922. Deep salmon, overlaid orange and coppery yellow, large well formed flowers. Sweetly scented	H.T.
DONALD MacDONALD. 1916. Bright orange carmine, free and continuous. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
DORNROSCHEN. 1908. Pure pale yellow with peach pink shading, and pale purple edges. Superb tea rose perfume	H.T.
DOROTHY PAGE ROBERTS. 1907. Coppery pink, suffused apricot; very free and pretty. Fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
DUCHESS OF NORMANDY. 1912. Soft salmon-flesh overlaid with yellow. Sport from "Dean Hole"	H.T.
DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON. 1909. Intense saffron yellow, stained crimson on outside of petals; very distinct and good. Fragrant	H.T.
DUCHESS OF WESTMINSTER. 1911. Clear madder rose; large, full and free; fragrant	H.T.
DUCHESS OF YORK. 1925. Colour in the young stage deep golden yellow, with tangerine centre, deepening as the flower ages to orange tangerine. Large flowers of good form. Moderate grower with handsome light green foliage. 5/-	H.T.
EARL BEATTY. 1923. Deep crimson. A marked improvement on the well known variety "General McArthur." A splendid rose for bedding, cut flowers or exhibition. Very sweet scented. 3/6	H.T.
EARL HAIG. 1921. Clear scarlet crimson; large well formed. Very free flowering. A fine exhibition and bedding rose	H.T.
EARL OF GOSFORD. 1912. Dark crimson; of strong vigorous growth, very free and sweetly perfumed	H.T.
EDITH PART. 1913. Rich reddish salmon and coppery yellow; fine habit. Very sweetly perfumed. Silver gilt medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
EDWARD BOHANE. 1915. Brilliant velvety crimson and scarlet; large, full and beautifully formed. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
ELIZABETH BARNES. 1911. Deep coppery salmon; vigorous grower. A good garden rose	H.T.
ELLEN POULSEN. 1911. Bright cherry rose; semi-double, flowering in large trusses. Very free and attractive	Dwf. Poly.
ELSIE BECKWITH. 1922. Deep glowing rose pink. An ideal rose for decorative work. Blooms carried erect on upright growth. Very sweetly scented. 3/6	H.T.

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EMPEROR OF MOROCCO. 1876. Velvety maroon; full and very fragrant	H.P.
ENGLAND'S GLORY. 1903. Flesh with satiny pink centre, sweetly scented; large and full	H.T.
ENTENTE CORDIALE. 1909. Creamy white; free and constant	H.T.
E P. H. KINGMA. 1919. Deep orange, shaded apricot; semi-double. Sport from the "Daily Mail" Rose	Pernetiana
ETHEL DICKSON. 1917. Salmon rose with silvery reflex. Gold medal, Irish Rose Society	H.T.
ETHEL JAMES. 1921. Light carmine on edges of petals, centre light orange and flame. Very pretty and free. Gold medal, N.R.S. Single	
ETHEL SOMERSET. 1924. Deep rose pink, even colouring throughout. Blooms large and full, of good form and substance. Good exhibition rose. Very free flowering. 3/6	H.T.
ETIOLE de HOLLAND. 1919. Brilliant dark velvety crimson; blooms large, carried erect on long stout stems. Growth vigorous with large dark green foliage. A very free bloomer, with rich fragrance. A superb exhibition rose	H.T.
EUGENE BOULLET. 1910. Crimson red, shaded carmine, large, double flowers, freely produced. Sweetly perfumed	H.T.
EUGENE FURST. 1876. Velvety crimson; large and full. A perfect rose, very fragrant	H.T.
EUGENE LAMESCH. 1899. Clear yellow, edged with carmine. Tarragon scented. Dwf.	Poly.
FISHER HOLMES. 1865. Rich crimson, with scarlet shading. Very fragrant	H.P.
FLOCON de NIEGE. 1899. Pure white; small very free flowering. Good	Dwf. Poly.
FLORENCE EDITH COULTHWAIT. 1908. Deep cream, stippled with bright rose on the inside of the petals, and reflexed on the back	H.T.
FLORENCE PEMBERTON. 1903. Creamy white, edged blush; very fine. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
FLORINDA NORMAN THOMPSON. 1920. Delicate rose colour on pale lemon; large, free and full	H.T.
FRANCES GAUNT. 1918. Deep apricot fawn; large, full, long and pointed; flowers very freely and continuously produced. A good garden rose. Fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
FRANCES DUBREUIL. 1895. Crimson, with dark velvety shading. Very free blooming	T.
FRANKLIN. 1918. Salmon, shaded yellow and veined crimson; buds long, full and free. Decorative	H.T.
FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI. 1900. Pure snow white; very large petals; perfectly formed flowers	H.P.

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FRED. J. HARRISON. 1924. Cardinal red suffused with crimson and splashed with blackish crimson towards the edge of the petals. A valuable addition to the crimson Hybrid Teas. Very sweetly scented. 3/6	H.T.	HADLEY. 1914. Dark crimson to reddish purple; large, full and very free flowering. Handsome dark foliage. Fragrant	H.T.
FREIHERR von MARSCHALL. 1904. Dark carmine, large and full	T.	HARRY KIRK. 1907. Deep sulphur to amber yellow; very free and constant. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
GENERAL GALLIENI. 1899. Crimson, tinted blood-red; very free blooming and very pretty. An attractive novelty	T.	HAWLMARK CRIMSON. 1920. Intense crimson, flushed scarlet-crimson; semi-double, very free and perpetual. A magnificent bedding rose. Tea scented	H.T.
GENERAL McARTHUR. 1905. Deep velvety scarlet; very free and constant, one of the best bedding roses. Musk and Damask fragrance	H.T.	HERA. 1925. Glowing brilliant carmine with blood red shading. Blooms medium size, full, and of good form. Richly perfumed with the old rose scent. 5/-	H.T.
GEORGE ARENDS. 1910. Delicate rose; flowers large and full. Richly scented	H.P.	H. E. RICHARDSON. 1913. Deep brilliant crimson; medium sized, beautifully formed flowers. Vigorous and free. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
GEORGE C. WAUD. 1908. Rose, suffused orange and scarlet, very free, full and constant. Tea scented. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.	HERZOGIN MARIE ANTOINETTE. 1911. Deep orange, striped salmon crimson, passing to old gold. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
GEORGE DICKSON. 1912. Velvety blackish crimson, very large, full and well formed. Vigorous growth. Fine exhibition rose	H.T.	HIS MAJESTY. 1909. Carmine crimson, blooms full and large. Growth vigorous. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
GEORGE ELGER. 1912. Golden coppery yellow to clear yellow. Very free flowering.	Dwf. Poly.	Hon. INA BINGHAM. 1905. Purest pink, deeply veined; large petals. Semi-double	H.T.
GEORGE H. MACKERETH. 1924. Deep crimson shaded velvety maroon. Very sweetly scented. 3/6	H.T.	HORTULANUS BUDDE. 1919. Dark red, opening with yellowish centre; free flowering	H.T.
GEORGES SCHWARTZ. 1899. Bright deep canary yellow, shaded with gold very rich in colour. Distinct and charming	T.	HUGH DICKSON. 1904. Intense scarlet, shaded crimson; the finest rose of its colour, Very fragrant. Gold medal N.R.S.	H.P.
GLADYS HOLLAND. 1917. Buff, shaded orange yellow; large and well formed. Free and good. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.	HUGO ROLLER. 1907. Rich lemon yellow, edged crimson. An attractive bedding rose. Very free and constant bloomer	T.
GLOIRE de CHEDANE GUINOISSEAU. 1908. Rich vermilion crimson. Exhibition rose	H.P.	H. V. MACHIN. 1914. Deep scarlet, shaded crimson; very large, full and fine form. A good exhibition rose. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
GOLDEN OPHELIA. 1918. Yellow edged cream, imbricated petals. A grand decorative rose of exceptional merit. Fragrant. Seedling from "Ophelia. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.	IMPERIAL POTENTATE. 1925. Splendidly shaped buds, opening to well formed, large double flowers of glistening rose pink, with silvery suffusion at the base of petals. Sweetly scented. 5/-	H.T.
GOLDEN SPRAY. 1917. Clear golden yellow; changing to lemon yellow; beautifully pointed buds opening to magnificent sprays of almost single flowers with prominent anthers. A fine bedding rose	H.T.	INDEPENDENCE DAY. 1919. Orange apricot with glowing centre of flame and sunflower gold. Fruity fragrance. Gold medal, N.R.S.	Pernetiana
GORGEOUS. 1915. Pink, flushed reddish copper; large, full and very free. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.	IRISH AFTERGLOW. 1918. Tangerine, passing to pink in the open flowers; very free and continuous. Bud sport from "Irish Fireflame"	Single.
GRACE MOLYNEUX. 1908. Creamy apricot, with flesh centre; very free flowering. Fragrant.	H.T.	IRISH BEAUTY. 1900. Pure white, with golden stamens. Large and very free	Single
GRUSS an TEPLITZ. 1897. Bright scarlet, crimson to fiery red; medium size, semi-double. Very fragrant	H.T.	IRISH BRIGHTNESS. 1903. Vivid crimson, shading pink at base of petals. Blooms in large trusses on long vigorous growth	Single
GWYNETH JONES. 1925. Brilliant carmine orange without shading, absolutely startling in its beauty. Petals large and of good texture. Flowers semi-double, to moderately full, with a faint lemon perfume. Very free and continuous bloomer. 5/-	Pernetiana	IRISH ELEGANCE. 1905. Bronzy orange scarlet, shading to varied apricot hues. Valuable for buttonholes or decoration. Gold medal, N.R.S.	Single

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IRISH FIREFLAME. 1913. Deep maddery orange, splashed with crimson. Very beautiful colouring, Gold medal, N.R.S.	Single
IRISH STAR. 1903. Rose du Barrii with golden stamens	Single
ISOBEL. 1916. Carmine red flushed orange scarlet, large flowers freely and continuously produced. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
J. B. CLARKE. 1905. Deep scarlet, shaded blackish crimson; very large, full and free. Good and vigorous grower. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
JEAN G. N. FORESTIER. 1919. Carmine lake, tinted with Chinese orange and yellow; very large and full; fragrant. Vigorous growing seedling from "Madams Edouard Herriot"	Pernetiana
JESSIE. 1900. Bright cherry crimson, which does not fade. An ideal rose for bedding or massing	Dwf. Poly.
J. G. GLASSFORD. 1921. Clear deep crimson lake without shading. Fragrant. Growth vigorous and branching	H.T.
JOHN RUSSELL. 1925. Deep shade of velvety crimson, overlaid with black sheen; the petals are large, flowers double and of perfect form. The growth and habit typically Hybrid Tea. 5/-	H.T.
JONKHEER J. L. MOCK. 1910. Carmine, changing to Imperial pink; large full bloom, free and constant. Highly perfumed. Growth vigorous and erect	H.T.
KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA. 1891. Creamy white shaded lemon yellow, large very full, free and lasts well	H.T.
KATHERINE ZEIMET. 1901. Pure white; flowers in large trusses. Very floriferous.	Dwf. Poly.
KILLARNEY. 1898. Deep clear pink; long and pointed large, very free and perpetual	H.T.
KILLARNEY BRILLIANT. 1914. Pure deep rosy carmine. Bright coloured sport from "Killarney." Tea rose perfumed	H.T.
KILLARNEY QUEEN. Rich glowing pink; habit of growth and freedom of flowering similar to "Killarney"	H.T.
KING GEORGE V. 1912. Deep blackish crimson; large well formed and richly scented. Growth vigorous. Exhibition. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
K. of K. 1917. Dazzling scarlet; semi-double; very free and perpetual; a splendid decorative rose, deliciously perfumed. Named as a tribute of respect to and admiration for a genuine British soldier. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
KONIGIN CAROLA. 1904. Clear opaque pink; large and full, very free and good	H.T.
KOOTENAY. 1917. Clear primrose; large, very full, free and perpetual. Fragrant	H.T.

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LADY ALICE STANLEY. 1909. Deep coral rose, inside of petals pale flesh slightly flushed deeper flesh. Good exhibition rose. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
LADY ASHTOWN. 1904. Deep rose pink; full and very free. A fine bedding rose. Fragrant	H.T.
LADY BATTERSEA. 1901. Cherry crimson, shaded orange; long and pointed buds. . . .	H.T.
LADY CRAIG. 1922. Deep cadmium yellow, with honey yellow centre; very free and perpetual. Large, full flowers of fine form. Sweetly scented. 2/6	H.T.
LADY GREENALL. 1911. Intense saffron orange heavily zoned and overspread on creamy white. Strongly tea perfumed	H.T.
LADY HILLINGDON. 1910. Deep golden yellow the flowers are long and of perfect form. Very free flowering and a good grower. Gold medal, N.R.S.	T.
LADY MARY WARD. 1913. Rich orange, shaded deeper apricot orange. Sweetly perfumed. Decorative. Gold medal, N.R.S. . . .	H.T.
LADY MAUREEN STEWART. 1920. Velvety black scarlet, with orange maroon reflex, brilliant colour; exquisitely formed. Very free and constant. Fragrant exhibition rose	H.T.
LADY PIRRIE. 1910. Delicate coppery salmon; a very fine and attractive bedding rose. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
LADY PLYMOUTH. 1914. Ivory cream, flushed pink. Tea scented. Gold medal, N.R.S. . . .	T.
LADY QUARTUS EWART. 1904. Pure paper white; full medium-sized, flowers of great durability. Invaluable for cutting	H.T.
LADY ROBERTS. 1902. Rich apricot, base of petals coppery red. Tea scented. Gold medal, N.R.S.	T.
LADY ROUNDHAY. 1923. Deep coppery chrome of even shade throughout. Medium sized blooms of fair substance. Sweetly scented. Very free and continuous bloomer. A novel and distinct variety. Gold medal, N.R.S. 5/-	Pernetiana
LA FRANCE. 1867. Beautiful bright pink; excellent. Musk damask perfume	H.T.
LA FRANCE de '89. 1890. Clear silvery red; vigorous grower	H.T.
LA FRANCE VICTORIOUSE. 1919. Silvery carmine pink, tinted yellow in the centre. Fragrant	H.T.
LAMIA. 1918. Intense reddish orange; medium sized flowers freely and continuously produced. Gold medal, N.R.S.	H.T.
LANEIL. 1843. Bright rosy crimson; large and double.	Moss.
LA TOSCA. 1901. Silvery pink, with deeper centre; large and very floriferous	H.T.

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- LAURENT CARLE.** 1907. Brilliant velvety carmine. Exhibition or decorative rose .. H.T.
- LEONIE LAMESCH.** 1900. Bright copper-red with golden centre. Distinct and very pretty. Strong growing Polyantha Poly.
- LIBERTY.** 1900. Brilliant velvety crimson, large with long shapely buds, and free flowering. Highly fragrant. H.T.
- LILIAN MOORE.** 1917. Deep pure Indian yellow; large and beautifully formed flowers, very full. Fine exhibition rose H.T.
- LORD ALLENBY.** 1923. Rich crimson, suffused with scarlet; large and full. Growth erect, carrying the flowers well above the foliage. 2/6 H.T.
- LORD CHARLEMONT.** 1922. Clear crimson, deepening to carmine crimson; large well-formed flowers. Buds long and well shaped. 2/6 H.T.
- LORD LAMBOURNE.** 1925. Deep unfading buttercup yellow, each petal being heavily margined all round carmine scarlet. Flowers of beautiful shape, enormous size, and immense depth. Strong fruity scent, 5/- Pernetiana
- LOS ANGELOS.** 1918. Coral pink, shaded with gold and copper; very free and perpetual. Mush tea fragrance. Gold medal H.T.
- LOUISE CATHERINE BRESLAU.** 1912. Coral-red, shaded with crome yellow. Glossy foliage. 2/6 H.A.B.
- LUCIE FERNAND DAVID.** 1925. Pure white, with cream centre; magnificent long bud on rigid stem; flower very large and full. Very sweetly scented and continuous in bloom. Growth vigorous. 5/- H.T.
- LYON ROSE.** 1907. Salmon pink, shaded chrome yellow; variable. Fragrant H.A.B.
- MABEL DREW.** 1911. Deep cream, passing to canary yellow; large, full and well formed. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- MABEL TURNER.** 1923. Warm deep salmon pink; petals reflexed; large, full and good shape, with high centre. Growth vigorous and branching. 5/- H.T.
- MADAM ABEL CHATENAY.** 1895. Bright salmon pink, with deeper centre; very free flowering and fragrant. Excellent for exhibition, garden or decorative purposes .. H.T.
- MADAM ANDRE CHARMET.** 1922. Rosy carnation-pink, sometimes flushed gold; flowers large and of good shape H.T.
- MADAM BUTTERFLY.** 1920. Pink, apricot and gold, buds Indian red with yellow base. Bud sport from "Ophelia" H.T.
- MADAM CHRISTIE MARTEL.** 1917. Pure sulphur yellow with deeper, centre; large globular flowers. Growth vigorous and branching. A good exhibition rose H.T.

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- MADAM CHARLES LUTAUD.** 1912. Chrome-yellow, with orange scarlet reverse. Flowers large and full. Exhibition H.T.
- MADAM CONSTANT SOUPERT.** 1906. Deep yellow, shaded peach; blooms large, full and well-formed. Useful for exhibition T.
- MADAM EDOUARD HERRIOT.** 1913. (The "Daily Mail" Rose). Vivid terra-cotta passing to clear strawberry rose. Very floriferous. Moderate grower. Gold medal, N.R.S. Pernetiana
- MADAM EUGENE RESAL.** 1895. Rosy pink shaded orange China
- MADAM JEAN DUPUY.** 1902. Golden yellow, centre rosy yellow, edges of petals bordered rose. Flowers large and full, opening well T.
- MADAM JULES GROLEZ.** 1897. Bright silvery rose; large, full and very floriferous. Fragrant H.T.
- MADAM LAMBARD.** 1877. Variable shades of red, salmon and rose colours. Very free flowering T.
- MADAM MARCEL DELANNY.** 1915. Soft rose, shaded with Hydrangea pink. Exhibition. Fragrant H.T.
- MADAM MELANIE SOUPERT.** 1906. Saffron yellow, suffused pink and carmine; loose flower with large petals. Very free H.T.
- MADAM N. LEVAVASSEUR.** 1903. Rosy crimson; splendid decorative rose. Dwarf habit Dwf. Poly.
- MADAM RAVARY.** 1900. Pale orange-yellow with deeper centre; a charming decorative rose. Fragrant H.T.
- MADAM SEGOND WEBER.** 1908. Light rosy salmon; long, pointed, full flower, fine habit; good exhibition rose H.T.
- Mdlle. CHARLOTTE CHEVALIER.** 1906. Deep canary yellow; shapely buds. Bud sport from "Arthur R. Goodwin" Pernetiana
- Mdlle. LOUISE CRETTE.** 1915. Pure snow white, with creamy centre. Blooms large and of good substance. Vigorous growth, Good exhibition rose H.P.
- MAHARAJAH.** 1904. Deep velvety crimson; large flowers, freely produced H.T. Single
- MAMAN COCHET.** 1893. Carmine pink, shaded with salmon yellow, outer petals tinged with bright rose. Exhibition tea rose T.
- MANUEL P. AZEVEDO.** 1911. Fresh cerise red; free flowering and fragrant. Strong upright growth H.T.
- MARGARET DICKSON HAMILL.** 1915. Delicate maize straw yellow, flushed delicate carmine on the back of petals. Sweetly perfumed. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.

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- MARGARET M. WYLIE.** 1921. Tender flesh colour, heavily flushed deep rosy pink towards the edges of the petals H.T.
- MARIE DELASELLE.** 1910. Deep brilliant crimson, reverse of petals shaded carmine; beautifully formed flowers, produced continuously T.
- MARIE van HOUTTE.** 1871. Lemon yellow, border of petals tipped bright rose. Very free flowering T.
- MELODY.** 1911. Deep saffron yellow, with primrose border. Exquisite shape. Fragrant H.T.
- MERRY ENGLAND.** 1897. Rosy pink, with occasional broad silver markings; large, full flowers H.P.
- MILDRED GRANT.** 1901. Ivory white, flushed pink; very large and full. Excellent for exhibition. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Miss ALICE de ROTHCHILD.** 1910. Rich deep citron yellow, which intensifies as the bloom expands. Very free and constant. Musk and tea fragrance. Exhibition T.
- Miss CONNOR.** 1920. Deep canary yellow on non-fading lemon yellow; cup-shaped, full and free. Clean glossy foliage. Fragrant. H.T.
- Miss CYNTHIA FORD.** 1909. Deep brilliant rose pink; flowers large, nicely formed and full. Fragrant exhibition rose. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Miss C. E. van ROSSEM.** 1920. Dark velvety crimson, medium sized, exquisitely formed flowers, freely produced on clean branching growth. Ideal for bedding and cutting. Deliciously perfumed H.T.
- Miss MAY MARRIOT.** 1917. Rich apricot to orange red. Sport from "Mad. Edouard Herriot" Pernetiana
- Miss WILMOTT.** 1917. Soft sulphur cream, with the faintest flush towards the edges; shape and form is a model of perfection. Vigorous and free flowering. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- MOLLY BLIGH.** 1917. Maddery pink, zoned orange at base of petals; large, ideal shape. Fragrant H.T.
- MOLLY SHARMAN CRAWFORD.** 1908. Delicate eau-de-nil white, becoming pure white as the blooms expand; large, good shape, delightfully perfumed. A good exhibition tea rose T.
- Mrs. AARON WARD.** 1907. Indian yellow and salmon rose, edged white; a good rose for any purpose H.T.
- Mrs. AMBROSE RICCARDO.** 1914. Deep honey yellow; very large and free. A good exhibition or garden rose. Fragrant H.T.
- Mrs. AMY HAMMOND.** 1911. A blend of ivory, amber and apricot. Fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.

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- Mrs. ARTHUR E. COXHEAD.** 1910. Claret red; large, good shaped blooms; very fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. ARTHUR R. WADDELL.** 1908. Reddish salmon, reverse of petals rosy scarlet; semi-double. Fine for bedding H.T.
- Mrs. BRYCE ALLAN.** 1916. Solid matte carmine rose. Beautifully perfumed. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. CHARLES LAMPLOUGH.** 1920. Soft lemon yellow; large, well formed flowers. Typical exhibition rose. Fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. CORNWALLIS WEST.** 1911. Creamy white, with blush centre; large and full. Growth of semi-climbing habit. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. C. W. DUNBAR BULLER.** 1919. Deep rosy carmine with lemon base and silver cherry rose reflex. Large, very full and free flowering H.T.
- Mrs. DAVID McKEE.** 1904. Creamy yellow; large and full. Tea scented. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. EDWARD POWELL.** 1910. Scarlet, shaded crimson. Very free and perpetual. Fragrant H.T.
- Mrs. FOLEY HOBBS.** 1910. Ivory white, flushed pink at edges; large, very full; tea-scented. Typical exhibition rose. Gold medal, N.R.S. T.
- Mrs. FRED SEARLE.** 1917. Shell pink, reverse of petals silvery carmine. Large and full H.T.
- Mrs. HAROLD BROCKLEBANK.** 1907. Creamy white, with buff centre and salmon rose reflex. Fragrant H.T.
- Mrs. HENRY MORSE.** 1919. Bright pink, shaded salmon and vermilion; large, full, well-formed flowers. Superb. Tea-scented. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. HERBERT STEVENS.** 1910. White, with distinct fawn and peach shading towards the edge of the petals. Vigorous free branching pointed flowers. Fine for cutting. Gold medal, N.R.S. T.
- Mrs. H. R. DARLINGTON.** 1920. Clear creamy yellow; very large, well-formed flowers of splendid exhibition type. Fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. JOHN LAING.** 1887. Lovely satiny pink; large and very fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.P.
- Mrs. JOSEPH H. WELCH.** 1911. Brilliant rose pink; free and fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. LONGWORTH.** 1908. Pale pink, splashed and striped with deep pink; reverse of a wax-like appearance. Unique H.T.
- Mrs. MACKELLER.** 1915. Deep citron yellow to pearly primrose and white. Fragrant . H.T.

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- Mrs. MYLES KENNEDY.** 1906. Silvery white, shaded buff, with pink centre. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. PETER BLAIR.** 1906. Lemon chrome, with golden yellow centre. Lovely shape. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. R. B. MOLONY.** 1925. Pure Brilliant carmine red, without any variation. Full, well formed flowers with beautiful reflexed petals. Sweetly perfumed. 5/- H.T.
- Mrs. R. D. McCLURE.** 1913. Brilliant salmon-pink; free and constant. Very large and full. Exhibition type. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. ROSALIE WRINCH.** 1915. Shell pink; large, single flowers. A vigorous growing pillar rose of charming beauty . . . H.P. Single
- Mrs. STEWART CLARKE.** 1907. Bright cerise pink, strong growth of semi-climbing habit. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- Mrs. W. CUTBUSH.** 1906. Bright deep pink, of dwarf growth, flowering in trusses Dwf. Poly.
- Mrs. WAKEFIELD CHRISTIE-MILLER.** 1909. Soft blush pink, outside of petals deep rose; large loose Paeony-like flowers of distinct and novel appearance H.T.
- Mrs. WARREN G. HARDING.** 1923. Bright rose pink; blooms large and full, borne on sturdy erect stems. Fragrant. 3/6 . . . H.T.
- MURIEL WILSON.** 1922. White, shaded lemon; a good exhibition rose, and invaluable for decorative purposes. Gold medal, N.R.S. 2/6 T.
- MY MARYLAND.** 1909. Bright salmon pink, with paler edges. Vigorous grower. Fragrant H.T.
- NATALIE BOTTNER.** 1910. Delicate creamy-yellow; flowers large and full; growth sturdy and upright. Fine exhibition rose H.T.
- NATIONAL EMBLEM.** 1915. Dark crimson; richly perfumed. Moderate grower . . . H.T.
- NEDERLAND.** 1919. Deep red; very large and well-formed flowers. A good exhibition rose H.T.
- NELLY PARKER.** 1916. Ivory white, flushed pink, with heavy zone of yellow in the centre; full and exquisite form; a magnificent rose for garden or exhibition. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- NEW COLUMBIA.** 1923. Beautiful shade of pink; blooms large and well-shaped, carried singly on stout erect stems. A splendid exhibition or cutting rose. 3/6 H.T.
- NIPHETOS.** 1844. Pure white; very large, full long pointed buds. Very free flowering. Tea scented. Superb T.
- OLD GOLD.** 1913. Old gold, tinted scarlet, copper and apricot. Semi-double. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- OPHELIA.** 1912. Salmon flesh, shaded with bright rose; perfect shape and highly perfumed. Very fine H.T.

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- ORANGE QUEEN.** 1925. A sport from the well-known Polyantha "Orleans Rose." The colour is unique in the Polyanthus, a most refined orange salmon which does not discolour. 5/- Dwf. Poly.
- ORLEANS ROSE.** 1909. Brilliant geranium-red suffused with rose neron-red, with white centre and carmine reflex. Large trusses. Dwf. Poly.
- PAPA GONTIER.** 1882. Rosy crimson, shaded carmine lake; with long buds. Large and open; free flowering T.
- PEACE.** 1903. Pale lemon yellow; large. Very floriferous T.
- PEERLESS.** 1907. Almost pure white, with pale flesh centre; large, full, well-formed flowers. Very free flowering. A good rose H.T.
- PENELOPE.** 1910. Outer petals at times quite blood-red, shading paler towards centre, which is primrose yellow; flowers large and very full T.
- PERLE DES JARDINS.** 1874. Deep yellow; large and very full. Free and fragrant . . T.
- PERLE DES ROUGES.** 1897. Velvety crimson, reflex of petals bright cerise. Flowers in trusses Dwf. Poly.
- PERLE d'OR.** 1883. Nankeen yellow; small, perfect form Dwf. Poly.
- PERLE von GODESBERG.** 1902. Cream, shaded with yellow; bud sport from "Kaiserin A. Victoria" H.T.
- PERSIAN YELLOW.** 1838. Deep bright yellow; full double flowers A.B.
- PHARISAER.** 1900. Rosy white, shaded pale salmon; very free and perpetual H.T.
- PHOEBE.** 1922. Cream white, slightly deeper in the centre, and occasionally almost pure white; growth upright, producing large, full and beautifully formed flowers. Gold medal, N.R.S. 2/6 H.T.
- PINK PEARL.** 1925. Bright rose with a salmon base. Flowers of medium size and sweetly perfumed. Growth vigorous and erect. 5/- H.T.
- PRESIDENT W. H. TAFT.** Vivid salmon-pink; flowers large, full and beautifully formed. Very free and continuous H.T.
- PRESIDENT WILSON.** 1918. A most delightful shade of shrimp pink; flowers very large and freely produced. A good exhibition rose H.T.
- PRINCE CAMILLE de ROHAN.** 1861. Deep velvety crimson; richly perfumed. An old favourite. (Syn. La Rosiere) H.P.
- PRINCE de BULGARIE.** 1902. Deep rosy flesh, shaded with salmon; large, full flowers; very free and constant H.T.
- PRINCESS ADELAIDE.** 1724. Pale rose pink; large double flowers; well mossed. Fragrant Moss.

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QUEEN MARY. 1913. Lemon-chrome, bordered at the edges with pure deep carmine H.T.	SCHNEEWITCHEN. 1901. Ivory white with yellow stamens. Bushy growth and free. Dwf. Poly.
QUEEN OF SPAIN. 1907. Delicate flesh pink, deeper colour in the centre; flowers on sturdy stems. Of exhibition quality. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.	SENSATION. 1924. Brilliant crimson; blooms large, and of splendid exhibition type, produced on long upright stems, with good healthy foliage. Very free flowering and sweetly scented. 3/6 H.T.
QUEEN OF THE BELGIANS. 1916. Rich salmon pink; buds long and perfect. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T. Single	SHOT SILK. 1924. The colourings of this beautiful rose are difficult to portray; they may be described as bright cherry cerise, overshot with salmon orange, flushed rose, and a deeply veined clear buttercup yellow base. Blooms of medium size, well-formed and fairly full, with large smooth petals of great substance, with strong Otto of Rose perfume. Gold medal, N.R.S. 3/6 H.T.
RAINBOW. 1891. Pink, striped and splashed with carmine. Distinct and attractive . . . T.	SIMPLICITY. 1909. Pure white, very large flowers of great substance. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T. Single
RED LETTER DAY. 1914. Brilliant glowing scarlet crimson; a fine decorative and bedding rose. Semi-double. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.	SOUVENIR de CATHERINE GUILLOT. 1895. Orange, red to coppery carmine, shaded orange yellow; fine in bud; semi-double. T.
RED PREMIER. 1925. Colour inside of petals bright velvety red, outside of petals carmine red, becoming brighter as the flowers develop, and retaining its colour until the fall of the petals. A strong grower with dark green foliage. Sweetly perfumed. 5/- H.T.	SOUVENIR de GEORGE BECKWITH. 1920. Shrimp-pink tinted chrome yellow; very large and full. Free flowering and fragrant. H.A.B.
Rev. F. PAGE ROBERTS. 1921. Orange gold to saffron yellow; large, full, well-formed flowers freely and continuously produced. A decided acquisition. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.	SOUVENIR de H. A. VERSCHUREN. 1922. Rich cream yellow, flowers of medium size, full in centre and perfectly shaped; strong delightful fragrance. 2/6 H.T.
RHEA REID. 1908. Rose cerise to brilliant crimson; variable; large, full flowers; strong grower. Very fragrant H.T.	SOUVENIR de THERESE LEVET. 1873. Dark crimson; very free blooming and free grower T.
RICHMOND. 1905. Bright rich scarlet; very free flowering. Fragrant H.T.	SOUVENIR OF STELLA GRAY. 1907. Deep orange with splashes of yellow, apricot, salmon and crimson; medium size, perfect shape and free. Tea-scented T.
ROGER LAMBELIN. 1891. Velvety crimson, petals edged white; flowers medium sized, peculiarly formed. Sweet scented H.P.	STAR OF FRANCE. 1905. Velvety crimson with carmine cerise centre. Large and free. Richly perfumed H.T.
ROSELANDIA. 1925. A fine new yellow rose, a sport from "Golden Ophelia," on which it is a vast improvement, being much larger and deeper in colour. 5/- H.T.	SULTAN OF ZANZIBAR. 1876. Blackish maroon; large and full; a bright dark rose. Sweetly fragrant H.P.
ROSEMARY. Deep carmine, reverse of petals permeated old gold, shading to yellow at the base. Flowers of medium size, perfectly formed with high pointed centre. Strong sweet Damask perfume, for which it was awarded the 100 guinea Clay Cup of the Royal Horticultural Society. 5/- H.T.	SUNBURST. 1912. Deep cadmium yellow, with orange yellow centre, very variable in colour; large fairly full flowers generally borne singly on long stout stems. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
SACHSENGRUSS. 1912. Delicate flesh and white, with China rose reflex. Very large and full. Growth of semi-climbing habit. Splendid exhibition rose. (The Pink Frau Karl Druschki) H.T.	SUNSET. 1884. Buff yellow, shaded apricot; globular. Sport from "Perle des Jardines T.
SALMON SPRAY. 1925. Rich salmon pink, reverse of petals carmine; borne in sprays of from 5 to 20 flowers. Very free blooming and sweetly scented. 5/- H.T.	SUNSTAR. 1921. Bright orange, edged and veined vermillion; flowers medium sized, fairly full. One of the most delightfully tinted and freest flowering of all garden roses. A good decorative variety. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
SALTAIRE. 1925. Velvety crimson, shaded scarlet. Blooms of medium size, perfectly formed; long buds opening with a high pointed centre. Of vigorous growth and upright branching habit. Delightfully fragrant. 5/- H.T.	SWEET BRIAR. (English). Foliage deliciously apple scented.
SCARLET GLORY. 1925. Vermilion scarlet. Of vigorous growth and free branching habit, and very floriferous. Blooms of good size, beautifully formed and opens well. 5/- H.T.	

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- TEMPLAR.** 1924. Bright cherry crimson; blooms of excellent shape, carried on stout upright growth, with large, handsome foliage. Very free flowering and deliciously fragrant. Superb. 3/6 H.T.
- THE BRIDE.** 1885. White, tinged with lemon yellow. Bud sport from "Catherine Mermet" T.
- THE QUEEN ALEXANDRA ROSE.** 1918. Rich vermilion with reverse of petals old gold. Flowers medium size. Gold medal, N.R.S. 2/6 Pernetiana
- THERESA.** 1910. Deep apricot orange, passing to madder pink and copper; a rose of indescribable beauty and distinctness. Strong bushy growth H.T.
- THE SHAH.** Beautiful crimson scarlet, large. Highly perfumed H.P.
- T. F. CROZIER.** 1918. Deep canary yellow; large, full well formed flowers of good exhibition type H.T.
- ULRICH BRUNNER.** 1881. Cherry red; large and perfect. Fragrant H.P.
- ULSTER GEM.** 1916. Deep primrose yellow, with prominent anthers; large with long pointed buds. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T. Single
- UNA WALLACE.** 1921. Soft, even toned cherry pink; large, beautifully formed flowers; free and fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- VICTOR HUGO.** 1884. Dazzling crimson, shaded with black. Large and fine shape H.P.
- VICTORY.** 1919. Glowing scarlet crimson; blooms long and pointed, full, faultless shape. Very free and fragrant. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- VISCOUNTESS DEVONPORT.** 1923. Rich Indian yellow; fine shape, long upright neck. Growth compact. Excellent for bedding. Very free flowering and sweetly scented. 3/6 H.T.
- WALTER SPEED.** 1909. Deep lemon yellow, passing to milky white. A good exhibition rose H.T.
- WALTHAM FLAME.** 1922. Deep terra-cotta shaded with bronzy orange; a delightful rose of unusual colour, very free and perpetual. A good garden variety. 2/6 H.T.

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- WARRIOR.** 1906. Buds blood-red, opening flowers vivid scarlet-crimson; petals loosely displayed as the blooms expand H.T.
- W. C. GAUNT.** 1916. Velvety vermilion, tipped scarlet with crimson maroon reverse. Deliciously tea-rose perfumed.
- W. E. WALLACE.** 1922. Deep golden yellow, without shading; large, full flowers of exquisite form, freely and abundantly produced. Sweetly scented. A good garden rose. 2/6 H.T.
- WHITE ENSIGN.** 1925. Pure white, flushed delicate cream at very base of petals. Flowers medium size, full and well shaped, carried upright on long stems. Delicately tea-perfumed. 5/- H.T.
- WHITE KILLARNEY.** 1909. White, with creamy centre; semi-double H.T.
- WHITE MAMAN COCHET.** 1897. Creamy white; very large and good. Tea-scented. Sport from "Maman Cochet" T.
- WILLIAM SHEAN.** 1906. Pure pink, veined ochre; very large, full, pointed flowers; a fine exhibition rose. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- W. R. SMITH.** 1906. Creamy white, flushed and suffused rosy pink; very large and full. Vigorous growth and free flowering. Useful for exhibition T.
- WILLOWMERE.** 1913. Rich shrimp pink, shaded yellow in centre, buds coral carmine. Large flowers of exhibition quality H.T.
- YELLOW AUSTRIAN.** 1596. Very deep yellow; single flowers. Requires little pruning A.B.
- YELLOW FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI.** Rich creamy yellow; petals large and of good substance. Growth strong and thorny with leathery foliage H.P.
- YVONNE VACHEROT.** 1906. Porcelain white, suffused pink; large, nicely formed flowers. Good grower and very floriferous. An exhibition rose H.T.
- ZENOBIA.** 1892. Soft satin rose; large and full. Buds well mossed. Fragrant Moss.

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Climbing Roses.

The following list includes Roses from various sections which are suitable for Arches, Trellises, Verandahs, Pillars, Pergolas, Walls, etc., embracing Teas, Hybrid Teas, Noisettes, Wichurianas, Polyanthas, and Hybrid Bourbons.

Please note many of the so-called Climbing varieties are not in the true sense of climbing habit, and are only suitable for pillar rose or in situations where they are required to grow up to 6 or 8 feet high. Such roses can also be grown without support into bush or standard types.

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- AGLAIA.** (Yellow Rambler). 1896. Pale canary yellow; flowers in large clusters; small semi-double. Pillar, Arch or Pergola Poly.
- ALBERIC BARBIER.** 1900. Deep rose, with light centre; good for any purpose Wich.
- AMERICAN PILLAR.** 1909. Deep rose, with light centre; large, single flowers borne in immense clusters; a grand pillar rose Hyb. Wich.
- ARDS ROVER.** 1894. Crimson, shaded maroon; foliage large and handsome. One of the best crimson climbers. Pillar, Trellis or Wall . . H.T.
- BANKSIAN, FORTUNE'S GIANT WHITE.** Pure white; large flowers; rampant climber.
- BANKSIAN, WHITE.** 1807. Small flowers produced in clusters; a splendid climber and will form a lovely arbor. Requires little pruning.
- BEAUTY OF GLAZENWOOD.** 1845. Yellow, flaked with carmine; semi-double, flowering in clusters. A vigorous climber. (Syn. Fortune's Yellow) Nois.
- BLUSH RAMBLER.** 1903. Rich blush, lighter in centre; free flowering, in large clusters. Pillar, Arch, Pergola or Hedge. Gold medal, N.R.S. Poly.
- CELINE FORESTIER.** 1858. Beautiful canary yellow; flowers full and flat, good size and form. Exceedingly free flowering. Pillar or Trellis Nois.
- CLEMATIS.** 1925. Dark red, with prominent white eye. Flowers small and single, produced in bouquets of 40 to 50 blooms. The whole giving the effect of a deep red Clematis. 5/- Hyb. Wich.
- CLIMBING CAROLINE TESTOUT.** 1902. Satin rose, with brighter centre; a reliable climber adapted for pillars H.T.
- CLIMBING CECILE BRUNNER.** Bright rose, shaded pale pink. Very sweet and pretty. Poly.
- CLIMBING GOLDEN OPHELIA.** 1925. A climbing sport of "Golden Ophelia," which will prove a welcome addition. The growth is vigorous and flowers continuously throughout the season. 5/- H.T.
- CLIMBING JEAN G. N. FORESTIER.** 1926. Carmine lake, tinted with Chinese orange and yellow. Very large and full. Fragrant. Pernetiana

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- CLIMBING KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA** 1897. Creamy white shaded lemon yellow; good strong habit. A good pillar rose . . H.T.
- CLIMBING LA FRANCE.** 1893. In all respects like the original, but more vigorous . . . H.T.
- CLIMBING MADAM EDOUARD HERRIOT.** 1920. Bud sport from the popular "Daily Mail" rose Pernetiana
- CLIMBING Mrs. AARON WARD.** 1922. A climbing form of this distinct and esteemed variety. Of remarkable vigour and very free flowering. A valuable acquisition . . H.T.
- CLIMBING Mrs. HERBERT STEVENS.** 1923. White, with distinct fawn and peach shading toward the edge of the petals. A sport from "Mrs. Herbert Stevens." Very vigorous growth and free flowering T.
- CLIMBING NIPHETOS.** 1889. Pure white, with pale lemon centre; long pointed flowers. Very free flowering and tea-scented T.
- CLIMBING OPHELIA.** 1920. Salmon flesh, shaded with bright rose; highly perfumed. A good pillar rose H.T.
- CLIMBING PINK MAMAN COCHET.** 1916. Carmine pink, shaded with salmon yellow, outer petals tinged with bright rose. Trellis or Arch T.
- CLIMBING SOUVENIR de la MALMAISON.** 1893. Pale flesh colour; beautiful in bud. Very vigorous grower Bourbon
- CLIMBING SUNBURST.** 1919. Deep cadmium yellow, with orange yellow centre, very variable in colour. A splendid acquisition to the climbing Hybrid Tea's H.T.
- CLIMBING WHITE MAMAN COCHET.** 1914. Creamy white. Sport from "White Maman Cochet." Tea-scented. Trellis or Arch . . T.
- CLOTH OF GOLD.** 1843. Creamy white, with yellow centre. Pillar, Arch or Trellis . . Nois.
- CRIMSON RAMBLER.** 1893. Bright crimson; flowers in large pyramidal trusses, growth vigorous. A splendid rose for pillar, arch or pergola Poly.
- DOROTHY PERKINS.** 1901. Delicate shell pink; petals prettily imbricated; almost evergreen. Arch, screen, pergola or chain . Wich.
- DUCHESS d' AUERSTADT.** 1887. Deep tawny yellow; large and full. Pillar or trellis T.

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- EMILY GRAY.** 1918. Rich golden yellow; semi-double. Strong creeper or trailer. Gold medal, N.R.S. Hyb. Wich.
- E. VEYRAT HERMANOS.** 1894. Apricot yellow, with reflex of petals rosy carmine. A good rose for pillar, arch or trellis . . . T.
- GLOIRE de DIJON.** 1853. Buff to salmon yellow; full and beautifully scented. Verandah or pillar T.
- GROSSHERZOG ERNEST LUDWIG.** 1896. Rosy pink; strong climber, useful for trellis or pergola H.T.
- GWEN NASH.** 1922. Beautiful soft shell-pink, deepening towards the edges. Large, semi-double flowers. An excellent pillar rose. H.T.
- HIAWATHA.** 1905. Deep intense crimson, with white eye; flowering in large clusters; most brilliant and effective. (Suitable for pillar, arch or chain Hyb. Wich.
- JERSEY BEAUTY.** 1899. Pale yellow, with bright yellow stamens; flowers single. Arch or pergola Hyb. Wich.
- LADY GAY.** 1903. Delicate cherry pink, fading to soft white. Almost evergreen. Arch, trellis, pergola or chain Wich.
- LAMARQUE.** 1830. White, with pale lemon centre; flowers in large clusters; sweetly scented. Trellis, arch or screen Nois.
- LEMON PILLAR.** 1915. Pale lemon in bud, opening to palest sulphur yellow. A splendid pillar rose. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- LEUCHSTERN.** 1899. Soft pink, with white eye; single flowers; a pretty cluster rose for pillars, arch or pergola Poly.
- MACARTNEY.** 1798. Ivory white, with golden stamens; large flowers with fruity fragrance. Glossy foliage; distinct and charming . . Single
- MADAM ALFRED CARRIERE.** 1879. White, with pink tint. Large and showy; fragrant. Nois.
- MADAM BERARD.** 1870. Bright buff or fawn colour, with salmon tint; large and well formed. Pillar, verandah or arch T.
- MADAM JULES GRAVEREAUX.** 1910. Chamis yellow, centre rosy peach; free flowering. Tea-scented exhibition rose for pillar, verandah or arch T.
- MARECHAL NIEL.** 1864. Bright rich golden yellow; large and full. Fine old noisette rose with a rich tea-scent Nois.

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- NOELLA NABONNAND.** 1900. Gorgeous semi-double velvety crimson flowers, with large petals. A good verandah or pillar rose. Very striking H.T.
- PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER.** 1916. Vivid scarlet, shaded crimson; medium sized flowers produced in great profusion in large trusses. Very brilliant. Strong growth with fine dark green foliage. Excellent for trellis, arch or pergola. Gold medal, N.R.S. H.T.
- REINE MARIE HENRIETTE.** 1878. Bright rosy pink; long bud of good shape; a free flowering rose for verandah, pillar or arch H.T.
- REINE OLGA de WURTEMBERG.** 1881. Vivid red; good shape, strong climber. Almost evergreen H.T.
- REVE d'OR.** 1869. Salmon buff; rampant grower. Very free. Tea-scented. Verandah or Arch Nois.
- SHEILA WILSON.** 1910. Rich rosy carmine, with yellow base. Single. A perpetual pillar rose with large fruits H.T.
- SHOWER OF GOLD.** 1910. Golden yellow, passing to pale yellow; strong grower for creeping, trailing or chain Hyb. Wich.
- SMITH'S YELLOW.** Pale yellow; very free flowering. Strong climber, useful for any purpose Nois.
- SNOWFLAKE.** 1922. A snow-white Rambler; the individual flowers have the appearance of miniature snowballs. It is free flowering. The trusses are large and graceful, carried on long stems. Gold medal, N.R.S. and Cory Cup Wich.
- SODENIA.** 1912. Brilliant rose red; large, double flowers produced in handsome trusses. Creeping, trailing or chain Wich.
- VEILCHENBLAU.** 1909. Lilac rose to bluish purple and steel blue; small flowers produced in clusters. "The Blue Rose" Poly.
- WHITE DOROTHY.** 1908. Pure white sport from "Dorothy Perkins" Wich.
- WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON.** 1878. Deep orange yellow, edged with white; a beautifully formed bud, useful for buttonholes Nois.
- ZEPHYRINE DROUHIN.** 1868. Bright silvery pink; thornless pillar or hedge rose with delightful Damask fragrance . . . Hyb. Bour.

Roses growing in tins, ready for removal at any period of the year, 2/6 each; 27/- per dozen.
Roses in tins are usually only in stock from September to May. List of varieties on application.

WE GUARANTEE ROSES TO ARRIVE IN GOOD CONDITION BY POST ANYWHERE.

KING WILLIAM'S TOWN, Cape Province.

FRUIT TREES.

APPLES.

All on Blight-proof Stocks. Guaranteed Clean and Healthy.

Prices: Each, 2/6; per dozen, 25/-; per 100, £9.
Packed Free. Sent Carriage To Pay.

ALFRISTON. A well-known culinary apple of great excellence; fruit large, yellowish green, red on sunny side.

AMERICAN GENTLEMAN. Large and handsome; early and prolific; fine dessert apple.

AMERICAN LADY. A large, bright red, juicy and vinous apple; exceedingly prolific, mid-season; dessert.

BLACK BEN DAVIS. Large, dark crimson fruit, rich in flavour; a reliable cropper and good keeper. Late dessert.

BLENHEIM ORANGE PIPPIN. Very large and handsome, yellow, streaked red. A well-known culinary or dessert apple. March and later.

BRAMLEY'S SEEDLING. Very large and productive, green, streaked red; a very fine and good culinary apple. Late.

CHAMPION. Skin golden yellow, striped and shaded bright red; flesh firm; juicy, sub-acid. Late dessert.

CLIFF'S SEEDLING. Large fruit; highly coloured; flesh yellow, crisp and luscious. Good keeper. Late dessert.

COX'S ORANGE PIPPIN. Medium size, yellowish, shaded and streaked with red; juicy and delicious. A good dessert apple. March and Later.

DELICIOUS. Beautiful fruit of delicious flavour; hardy and prolific. Good keeper. One of the best dessert apples. Late.

EARLY HARVEST. Fruit of medium size. Skin pale yellow, flesh white, juicy and well flavoured. Culinary or dessert. December.

GOLDEN NOBLE. Large and handsome fruit, round and even in shape. Clear yellow skin. Culinary. May to July.

GRAVENSTEIN. Fruit large, greenish yellow, streaked and pencilled with red and orange. Culinary or dessert. February and March.

JONATHAN. Fruit medium to large; skin yellow, with red stripes, deeper on the sunny side. A fine American dessert apple. February to May.

KING OF TOMPKIN'S COUNTY. Very large and handsome American apple; deep yellow streaked with red, flavour sweet and rich. Dessert. February to August.

LARGE GREEN COOKING. Handsome and very free bearing. Excellent for cooking. February and March.

LATE BLOOMER. Fruit small. A valuable late red apple of fine quality. Excellent keeper. Very prolific. (Syn. Wemmer's Hoek).

MONMOUTH PIPPIN. Fruit large, pale yellow, spotted russet. Of American origin. May to August.

NICKAJACK. Fruit large, roundish; skin yellow, striped red. Flesh yellowish, tender and juicy. A well-known American apple. Ripens late and keeps well. Very prolific.

NONPAREIL RUSSET. Small, irregularly formed; skin green, covered with large splashes of russet. Stores well. April to September.

NORTHERN SPY. Large, yellowish green with red cheek. Excellent dessert apple; recommended for cold districts. May to September.

OHENIMURI. Fruit large, bright yellow with red cheek. A New Zealand apple of fine quality. First-class dessert. April to September.

RED ASTRACHAN. Fruit large, beautiful, with a fine bloom on its rosy cheek. Has a pleasant sub acid flavour. Very prolific. Dessert. January and February.

REDSTREAK. An all-round excellent apple. Useful for culinary or dessert. January and February.

REINETTE DU CANADA. Fruit large, rather conical, yellow with a little russet, finely flavoured and juicy. March to May.

RHODE ISLAND GREENING. Large, roundish, dark green, becoming yellow when ripe. Culinary or dessert. March to June.

ROME BEAUTY. Fruit very large, roundish yellow, shaded and striped with bright red, and sprinkled with light dots. An American winter dessert apple. Stores well. Late.

ROYAL LATE COOKING. Fruit large, yellow. Flesh pale yellow, rich and juicy. A hardy, healthy, prolific variety. May to July.

SHARPE'S LATE RED. Rich aromatic flavour, red on yellow; an excellent variety. Tree vigorous and prolific.

VERSFIELD'S. Fruit large, greenish yellow, streaked with red. Culinary. April to September. (Syn Red Cauldwell).

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APPLES.—Continued.

WARNER'S KING. One of the largest of apples, and a profitable market variety. Hardy, prolific and healthy. Culinary. Late.

WHITE WINTER PEARMAN. Medium to large; pale yellow, sprinkled with small russety dots. Flesh crisp, juicy, pleasant, sub-acid. Dessert. Late. May to August.

YORK IMPERIAL. Medium size; whitish shaded with crimson. Flesh crisp and firm. Dessert. April to September.

ALMONDS.

Each 2/-; per dozen 20/-.

NONPAREIL. A soft-shelled variety; very productive.

PAPER SHELL. Medium sized nut with very soft shell. Good grower and prolific.

PRINCESS. Finest of all the paper shell classes; oval shape; kernel white and very sweet.

APRICOTS.

Each 2/-; per dozen 20/-. Packed free.

BLANCHET FILS. Large, first-class; early.

BLENHEIM. Medium size; juicy and good. A regular and abundant bearer; early.

EARLY NEWCASTLE. A very early medium-sized apricot, of fine yellow colour; very prolific.

GROSSE PECHE. Large, rich and juicy. Excellent. Mid-season.

HEMSKERK. Large, rich and juicy. Roundish fruit. Mid-season.

OULLIN'S EARLY PEACH. Large, juicy, rich and excellent. A first-rate grower and free cropper. Very early.

ROYAL. Fruit roundish oval; skin dull yellow tinged with red next the sun; flesh juicy and rich. Mid-season.

TOURS. A medium-sized, highly aromatic, golden yellow apricot of good quality. Late.

VICTORIA. Large, highly coloured; flesh rich and juicy. Early. One of the best.

CITRUS TREES.

ORANGES, LEMONS, NAARTJES, GRAPE FRUIT. Prices: Grafted trees from the open ground lifted and packed in moss. Each, 3/-; per dozen, 30/-; per 100, £10.

Best month for transplanting, August.

Strong trees in four gallon petrol tins each, 5/-; per dozen, 54/-.

ORANGES.

JAFFA. Very large oval fruit; heavy and rich. Almost seedless. Medium to late ripening.

MALTESE BLOOD. Fruit large, oval; seedless, with peculiar refreshing acid flavour; pulp stained with deep crimson; delicious.

NAVELENCIA. Fruit of good size, smooth and thin skinned, and comes into bearing the second year from the bud.

ST. MICHAEL'S. Fruit large, thin skinned, and well-flavoured.

VALENCIA LATE. Fruit medium size; oval, solid and heavy; light colour, skin rather thin, and of strong texture, flesh of deep and very rich colour, grain fine, firm and crisp; abundant juice, excellent flavour. Late season.

WASHINGTON NAVEL. Fruit large to very large; skin generally smooth and thick of full orange colour; seedless; flesh crisp and sweet. Season early. The most valuable orange known.

GRAPE FRUIT.

MARSH'S SEEDLESS. Medium size; thick rind, not too bitter; juicy, of good flavour, and good keeper. Early bearer.

NAARTJES.

BEAUTY OF GLEN RETREAT. Very productive; fruit of fine flavour.

DANCY'S. Fruit fair size, of good flavour, slightly acid; takes on a very high colour.

EMPEROR. A very good variety; has a fairly smooth rind and a good colour; makes a vigorous growth, with shiny leaves. An early bearer.

MANDARIN. A very heavy bearer; exquisite flavour, very thin rind.

LEMONS.

LISBON. Medium size; a long oval fruit; thin and smooth skin, of good shape and appearance; juicy. An abundant bearer.

VILLA FRANCA. Fruit oblong, juicy, and nearly seedless, sweet rind; strong growing variety, nearly thornless.

FIGS.

Each, 1/6; per dozen, 15/-.

In transplanting cut down to within a foot of the ground.

ADAM. Fruit large, purple. Late.

BONDANCE PRECOCE. Medium size; brown. An abundant bearer.

BROWN ISCHIA. Medium size; sweet and rich.

BROWN TURKEY. Brownish purple; large, rich and sugary. Very prolific.

CASTLE KENNEDY. Large fruit; flesh whitish, stained with red, tender, but not very rich. Very early and prolific.

MARQUIS LORENZO.

MONACO BIANCO. Large fruit; skin green, flesh dark red, very rich and exquisite flavour. Late.

SMYRNA. Large, brown; rich and excellent.

WHITE ADRIATIC. Large roundish fruit. Very hardy and prolific.

KING WILLIAM'S TOWN, Cape Province.

FIGS.—Continued.

WHITE MARSEILLES (White Genoa). Large, greenish white skin; flesh white. An early and abundant cropper.

CAPRI. This variety has been introduced for the purpose of breeding the Fig-fertilising insect (Blastophago), and only a few are necessary. The fruit is not edible.

GRAPE VINES.

Each 1/-; per dozen 10/6.

ALICANTE. Berries very large; oval, black.

BARBAROSSA. Very large, round berries, black, juicy and sweet; a very late sort.

BLACK ACORN. Berries oval, large; flesh juicy and rich.

BLACK MANUKA. Berries oblong; flesh firm, crisp and juicy; an early seedless grape.

CATAWBA. (Strawberry Grape.) Large, round, black; with blue bloom.

DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH. Berries large, round, fine golden colour. Early.

GOLDEN QUEEN. A sweet, large, white grape, richly flavoured. Very distinct; late.

HANNEPOOT, RED. Berries oval, large; Muscat flavour.

HANNEPOOT, WHITE. Berries oval; large, superior flavour. A well-known variety.

HERMITAGE. Berries large, oval; black. Fine flavour.

LADY DOWNE'S SEEDLING. Large, black, oval berries; flesh firm and richly flavoured. Late.

LATE SYRIAN. Large, greenish white. A great bearer. Late.

MADRESFIELD COURT. Berries large, black, covered with a blue bloom. Muscat flavour.

MILL HILL HAMBRO. Large round black.

MRS. PRINCE'S BLACK MUSCAT. Berries oval, Medium size, late keeper.

RED CRYSTAL. Large round, rich and juicy. Mid-season.

RED MUSCATEL. Small berries, but delicious.

WHITE SWEETWATER. Berries small, round; flesh juicy, sweet and well flavoured, an abundant bearer and excellent variety.

GUAVAS (in Tins).

Each 2/- to 2/6; per dozen 18/- to 24/-.

LARGE PEAR-SHAPED RED.

LARGE ROUND WHITE.

RED CHERRY.

NECTARINES.

Each 2/-; per dozen 20/-. Packed free.

DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG. Colour rich deep orange crimson; finely flavoured.

EARLY VIOLET. Medium size, dark red cheek; early.

GOLDMINE. Very large, fine flavour; colour bronzy red; freestone.

NEW BOY. Crimson in colour; large and handsome. Late.

RED ROMAN. Medium size, red skin; rich and juicy; clingstone.

RIVERS' ORANGE. Medium size, melting and juicy; finely flavoured. Early.

SIDNEY MARKET. Excellent market variety, of good quality. Mid-season.

PEACHES.

Each 2/-; per dozen 20/-. Packed free.

ALEXANDER JEWEL. Fruit medium size. Tree of quick growth and very prolific. An exceptionally early Chinese Peach.

ANGEL. A Chinese variety, large, roundish, slightly pointed; skin yellow, highly washed with red; flesh white, melting and juicy.

BRIGGS' RED MAY. Medium to large, white skin, with red cheek, flesh greenish white, juicy; partial freestone; early.

CRIMSON GALANDE. Medium early; large roundish fruit, with dark crimson skin; flesh melting, tender and juicy; freestone.

DR. HOGG. Fruit large, round; skin very pale yellow, flesh yellowish white, red at the stone, from which it parts freely; flavour rich and sugary. Early.

EARLY RIVERS. Large; colour pale straw, with a delicate pink cheek; flesh melting, or rather dissolving, with a rich racy flavour.

ELBERTA. Medium early; skin bright yellow, with mottled red cheek, very prolific.

FLORIDA CRAWFORD. Large; roundish oblong; light yellow with red cheek. Flesh yellow, juicy and melting, richly flavoured. Late.

GLADSTONE. Very large, roundish. Skin pale, mottled red cheek. Flesh white, tender and juicy. A fine late peach. Freestone.

GLOBE. Large and globular; skin golden yellow with red cheek; flesh firm, juicy and rich. Freestone. Late.

GROSSE MIGNONNE. Fruit large, round skin pale yellow with a beautiful colour on sunny side. White flesh. Mid-season.

HIGH'S EARLY CANADA. Large, early peach of whitish yellow skin, marbled with red on sunny side. Very prolific. Freestone.

LATE CRAWFORD. Large, roundish; yellow, with dark red cheek; flesh yellow; flavour rich and excellent.

LE VAINQUEUR. Large, creamy white, with blush cheek; flesh tender, juicy and delicious. Early. Freestone.

MAMIE ROSS. A very large and beautiful white flushed peach; partial freestone. Ripens early January.

MOUNTAIN ROSE. Fruit of medium size; white, with red cheek; of fine flavour and quality. Second early.

MUIR. Large fruit, excellent for canning or drying; colour light yellow, sometimes showing red. Very prolific. Freestone.

PEACHES.—Continued.

NEWHALL. Large; skin yellow, with dark red cheek; flesh juicy, melting and richly vinous. Freestone. Late.

PALLAS. Medium to large; nearly round, deep red dotted with salmon; flesh white, with a rich vinous aroma; excellent; free. Early. A sub-tropical variety.

PEENTO. Flat peach of China; medium size, skin greenish white, mottled red on sunny side. Ripens in November.

RED MAGDELENE. Medium size; round, surface nearly white with lively red cheek, juicy, rich and vinous. Freestone. Mid-season.

ROYAL GEORGE. Fruit large, globular; skin very downy, pale, marbled with red on sunny side; flesh pale yellow; juicy, rich and highly flavoured. January.

SALWAY. Fruit large, round, skin yellow with crimson cheek; flesh deep yellow, sweet, juicy, vinous and rich. Freestone. Late.

SUSQUEHANNA. Fruit very large, nearly globular; skin rich yellow with red cheek; flesh yellow, sweet and juicy. Mid-season to late.

WALDO. Fruit of medium size; elongated, bright yellowish red skin, washed with carmine; juicy and sweet. A Chinese variety. Very early and prolific.

YELLOW CLING. A good late Clingstone Peach. A vigorous grower and bears abundantly.

PEARS.

Each 2/6; per dozen 25/-. Packed free.

BEURRE DIEL. Fruit large, green or yellow with russet, melting, of aromatic flavour. An excellent all-round Pear. March-April.

BEURRE SUPERFIN. Fruit medium to large; yellow, with much russet; melting and rich.

CATILLAC. Fruit very large, roundish. One of the best culinary Pears.

CLAPP'S FAVOURITE. Fruit medium size, rather long, green, yellow, and bright crimson. An American Pear of high excellence.

DOYENNE D'ETE. Fruit small, rounded, pale yellow with slight red tint; juicy. Very early, ripening in December.

DOYENNE DU COMICE. Fruit large, pyriform, yellowish green with a little russet; juicy and melting. A delicious and hardy Pear.

DUCHESSE D'ANGOULEME. Fruit very large; a noble-looking Pear of excellent quality, yellow with some russet, buttery and finely flavoured. April.

FERTILITY. Fruit medium size, bright reddish-brown, russet, juicy and aromatic. A very hardy pear. March.

FORELLE (Trout Pear). Fruit medium, even and pyriform; greenish yellow with dark crimson dots, melting and very good. April.

GANSEL'S BERGAMOT. Fruit medium to large; yellow, with a reddish tint; buttery, with a rich musky aroma. Excellent. March and April.

GLOU MORCEAU. Fruit large, yellowish with a little russet, buttery and aromatic. A well-known and excellent Pear. April and May.

JARGONELLE. Fruit large, long, pyriform. A well-known old variety, exceedingly juicy and refreshing. Very early.

KEIFFER HYBRID. A very hardy American pear. Fruit large, often weighing 16 ozs.; rich colour and good quality; the fruit should be gathered at maturity, and stored in a cool dark room to ripen. A most profitable variety. February to April.

LOUISE BONNE OF JERSEY. Fruit medium, pyriform, yellowish with crimson dots and tints, melting and richly vinous. Free grower and abundant bearer. Mid-season.

MARIE LOUISE. Fruit large, yellow and slight russet, buttery and of high quality. February and March.

MONARCH (KNIGHT'S). Fruit medium size; yellowish with much russet, juicy, sweet, with a distinct aroma. Excellent and hardy. Late.

SOUVENIR DU CONGRES. Fruit long, obovate, yellow with bright russet and crimson streaks, melting and richly aromatic. A favourite Pear of good quality. February.

WILLIAM'S BON CHRETIEN. Fruit large, pyriform, yellow with red streaks, juicy and richly flavoured. A most popular and useful Pear. January to March.

WINTER NELIS. Fruit small, roundish, green and yellow with russet; remarkably rich, aromatic and sweet. A well-known late variety. April to August.

JAPANESE PLUMS.

Each 2/-; per dozen 20/-. Packed free.

APPLE. Large, roundish; of the blood class; delicious flavour. February.

BARTLETT. A very productive and ornamental tree; fruit oval; yellow, turning to deep crimson when ripe. Fragrant and juicy. Early.

BURBANK. An excellent variety and highly popular; nearly round; clear, cherry red with a lilac bloom. Mid-season.

CHALCOT. Fruit large, roundish and flat. Bright crimson; ripens just ahead of "Kelsey."

HALE. Fruit large; skin yellow, red on sunny side; an excellent variety. Early.

KELSEY. Heart-shaped; rich yellow, nearly over-spread with red, and a lovely bloom. The largest of all the Japs. Very late.

METHLEY. Fruit medium size; rich dark red; an excellent variety. Early.

OCTOBER PURPLE. Fruit medium to large; skin amber yellow, partially coloured red. Very late variety.

SATSUMA. Fruit medium to large; skin dark brown red, with a heavy bloom; flesh hard and blood red. February.

SULTAN. Fruit large; oval; deep purplish crimson, with firm flesh; fragrant and sweet. Very prolific.

WICKSON. Fruit very large, tapering, heart-shaped, with a deep strong suture; maroon-red to yellowish red. January.

YOSOBÉ. Fruit small, round; skin pinkish red; a reliable and heavy cropper. January.

QUINCE.

Assorted large fruiting varieties, grafted trees. .
Each, 2/-; per dozen, 18/-.
Common Quince, each 1/-; per dozen, 10/6.

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ENGLISH. The ordinary walnut of commerce.
Each 1/6 to 2/6 each. 15/- to 24/- per dozen.

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March to July best time to plant.
Per dozen 1/6; per 100 7/6.

LAXTON'S NOBLE. One of the very finest and most free-bearing Strawberries for this district. Fruit very large. Mid-season. Per 100 10/6.

MELBA. Large, brilliant red; splendid flavour, a magnificent strawberry. Mid-season.

PRESIDENT SCHLACTER. Large, bright red; of delicious flavour.

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RASPBERRIES. Red Perfection, each 6d.; per dozen, 5/- Plant from May to September.
SPINELESS CACTUS. For cattle feeding, per leaf, 3d; per doz., 2/6.

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ARAUCARIA Each.
Cooki, in tins 1/6 to 5/-
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CUPRESSUS
Arizonica, in flat tins, 10/6 per 100.
Horizontalis (Spreading Cypress) . . 9d. and 1/6
Macrocarpa (Scented Cypress) . . . 6d. and 2/6
Pyramidalis, upright habit. 9d. to 1/6
CUPRESSUS TORULOSA. Handsome tree, silvery foilage. Each, 1/-.
EUCALYPTUS
Ficifolia (Crimson Flowered Gum), in single tins 1/0
HARPOPHYLLUM Caffrum (Kaffir Plum) 1/- to 2/6
JACARANDA mimosaeifolia, beautiful blue flowers, in single tins 1/- to 2/6

PINUS

Halapensis (Aleppo Pine) each
per doz., 7/6; 9d. to 2/6
Halapensis, in flat tins, about 20 in a tin, 12/6 per 100.
Extra large trees of many of the above, 2/- and 2/6 each.

We can also supply several of the above kinds in stock tins (about 20 in a tin) at cheap rates.
Prices on application.

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Per 100.
AUSTRALIAN MYRTLE (Leptospermum Lævica-
tatum), in tins, about 20 in a tin 12/6
CUPRESSUS ARIZONICA, in tins, about 20 in a flat tin, per 100 plants, 10/6.
CUPRESSUS Macrocarpa, in tins, about 20 in a tin 10/6
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PRIVET, Evergreen, from open ground 21/0
Cuttings of Tamarisk, Pomegranate, and Quince can also be supplied, per 100, 3/6.

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ABELIA RUPESTRIS FLORABUNDA, hardy flower-
ing shrub with white flowers, can be used
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Each.
ALOYSIA citriodora (Lemon Scented Verbena) 1/0
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CORDYLINE AUSTRALIS. Fine for centre of bed, in tins 1/0
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DEUTZIA
Crenata (Bridal Wreath), double white. 1/- and 1/6
Gracilis, hardy deciduous shrub 1/6
Pride of Rochester 2/0
Waterei 2/0
Wellsi 2/0
ELDER: Silver Leaved 1/0
GARDENIA (Katjepeering):
Double white, fragrant 1/6, 2/6 and 5/0
HELIOTROPE, fragrant dwarf shrub, not hardy 1/0
HIBISCUS Sinensis, evergreen shrubs, will not stand frost.
Double Red 1/- and 1/6
Single Red 1/0
HIBISCUS SYRIACUS.
Double Pink 1/0
Double Purple 1/0
Double White 1/0
Single Purple, crimson centre 1/0

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HYDRANGEA:

Dr. Hogg, pure white 1/- and 2/6
Hortensis, pink 1/- to 2/6

HYPERICUM hircinum. Semi-evergreen bush 3 to 4 ft. high, hardy, beautiful pure yellow flowers, in tins each 1/0

LAGERSTROEMIA indica:

Pink flowers 1/0
White, very fine 2/6
Mauve, very fine 2/6

LIGUSTRUM (Privet), various sorts .. 6d. and 1/0

LILAC (Syringa), hardy, deciduous:

Charles X., rich reddish lilac 1/6
Charles Baltet, lilac, shaded rose; double .. 1/6
Madame A. Chatenay, pure white; double .. 1/6
Marie Legraye, white 1/6
Souvenir de Louis Spath, dark lilac-red .. . 2/6
Vulgaris (The Common Lilac) 1/0
Vulgaris, White 1/6

LONICERA fuchsioides (Bushy Honeysuckle), red trumpet flowers 2/0

LONICERA, regina, bushy Honeysuckle, flowers yellow.

MAGNOLIA. Hardy, deciduous. In tins .. . 3/6

MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA, evergreen .. . 2/6

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Double White 1/0
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